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## Park and camp?

Council consider alternative use for park and ride site

WEYMOUTH and Portland could soon become a mecca for campervans and motor homes if plans to make better use of council car parks are carried through.

Borough councillors have already backed the idea of offering parking spaces specifically dedicated to motorhomes at Lodmoor and other car parks.

Now Dorset County Council has revealed that welcoming motorhomes is one of the ideas it is

by Harry Walton  
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considering to boost use at its Mount Pleasant park and ride site.

County traffic manager Matthew Piles said: "We are looking at a number of ways to make the Park and Ride site more viable and will be considering overnight parking as an option."

The motorhome idea already meets with one resident's approval be-

cause Brian Mills of Casiobury Road has just written to the council suggesting such an approach to make fuller use of Mount Pleasant by encouraging campervans to park in designated areas and stay overnight.

Such use could be limited to five vans at any one time, he said, and further limited to two or three nights.

He added: "At present this facility is underused so there is the opportunity to develop a limited scheme of an 'aire' or 'stallinplatz' as is so widely available on the continent in many towns.

"In terms of security the park and ride can be locked each evening and opened in the morning so campervans could not enter or leave during the time it is not open. When the site is locked in the evening it would be a quick and easy job to check that all the vans in the designated area had paid their fee and not overstayed their time. Travellers-gypsies are not a problem in similar installations on the continent.

"This should be seen as a facility and not a money-making exercise,

so costs could be kept to a minimum, say £5 per night. This could be paid by meter, with each campervan showing a ticket in their windscreen. On the continent these 'aires' are well used and bring tourists and money into the area.

"In terms of facilities, there are already toilets at the park and ride, so the only additional facilities would be a chemical toilet disposal and a water tap.

"This is the sort of facility which once shown to work would be adopted by many other councils as a simple means of using under-

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**BRICK**, lime and stone specialist Nicholas West  
grew up in the Kent village of Shorne.

Training in brickwork, he has spent the last 25  
years mastering the skills required to work with  
traditional brickwork.

While living in New Zealand, he decided to  
move half way round the world to the live in  
Bridport after visiting on market day and being  
smitten by the town. He lives with his partner of  
17 years Louise, their daughters Poppy, Ruby  
and Emerald, and dog Mr Duke.

### ● HOW did you start in the business of restoring buildings?

When I started college I worked on Sevenoaks Manor  
in Kent and was fascinated by the garden walls built  
from lime mortar and saw they were still standing the  
test of time. From that point I wanted to understand  
more about old traditional masonry and the use of lime  
mortar. I realised that old properties are very unique  
and have their own story.

### ● WHAT makes you love your work?

I have a real creative and artistic flare so restoration just  
seems the perfect thing to stimulate the mind. I seem  
to have this talent where I am able to visualise the end  
result. There is always something different to learn and  
discover every day – the art is trying to perfectly match  
the workmanship of the tradesmen before us. Also, it's  
the realisation that I am preserving our heritage. I can  
honestly say I love it with a passion.

### ● WHAT kind of problems do you find with old buildings and how do you deal with them?

One of the most difficult issues with restoring is when  
an attempt has been made by someone who has no  
time or passion or understanding for this kind work.  
Simple materials need a simple solution.

### ● WHAT is the most interesting building you have worked on, and why?

The most interesting building I've worked on is Leeds  
castle, voted the most beautiful in the world. But in all  
honestly the most intriguing work I do is when I have a  
client who is as enthusiastic as I am about their home  
and understands what I am doing.

### ● WHAT made you move to New Zealand?

The lifestyle, the great outdoors, and to give my chil-  
dren a fairy tale childhood where they could walk  
around barefoot. I also thought it would be a great  
place to use my skills to create new quirky properties  
in such a beautiful natural backdrop.



### ● HOW did you discover Bridport?

My friend Jill moved to Broadwindsor and she started  
telling us how great the area was with its friendly at-  
mosphere, markets, music cafes, great coastline,  
beaches, quirky people, festivals, etc. all topped off with  
beautiful Dorset properties. So I went for a visit.

I knew from the moment I went to Bridport and  
bought old tools in the market that had I found the  
place where I and my family would move half way

round the world to live. On my second visit I bought an  
amazing thatched cottage. Never have I been anywhere  
where I had the feeling of passion for the will to live  
there. I'd like to thank Jill and the oldest butchers in  
Britain – but that's another story.

### ● WHAT will you miss about New Zealand?

The weather, the perfect climate, just the sheer beauty  
of the place, water holes, crystal clear seas and rivers,  
stunning sunsets. But nothing that's not already in  
Dorset. I'll also miss Watties beans.

### ● WHAT will you be glad to see the back of?

Nothing. I feel blessed to have lived there. I just missed  
the history that the UK holds.

### ● TELL us about that hat festival hat...

The hat was a last minute thing. It took me three  
evenings and I started it on the Wednesday before the  
festival. It weighed about 10kg and was about two and  
half feet tall. It was made from real brick which I cut into  
miniature bricks glued to polystyrene and fixed with tile  
achieve and pointed in lime mortar.

The idea behind it was to make people laugh. I hoped  
it would inspire people to make a hat for the next festi-  
val and give me a chance to meet locals. I loved every  
minute and just had a ball as well earning sore shoul-  
ders.

### ● WHAT is your earliest memory?

Being in France trying to sit in my well taped-up card-  
board box in the sea with the thought of just bobbing  
around whilst reading my the Aristocat's book. I just  
could not understand why I was sinking.

### ● WHAT has life taught you?

Nature rules and we should live in harmony with it. The  
UK is one of the best places to live in the world, and  
nothing comes close to British humour. How history  
plays a great part in who we are. Also, laugh and never  
forget to stop. And life shorter than you think so use  
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# Council unveil plans 'for better future'

A PLAN to boost the economy has been launched. It sets out four draft priorities that will help West Dorset and Weymouth & Portland become more prosperous.

These include attracting better paid jobs, making town centres more vibrant, supporting businesses and improving infrastructure like transport and broadband.

These targets have been set out in the joint "Priorities for Economic Growth Plan", which has this month been backed by West Dorset District Council and Weymouth and Portland Borough Council. It was drawn-up after asking businesses for their views and will be shaped by ongoing talks with them. A detailed delivery plan for 2014 onwards is currently being developed.

The plan will now be considered by business leaders at the Dorset Local Enterprise Partnership (LEP). It is hoped that Weymouth & Portland and West

Dorset's priorities will be included in their Dorset Growth Strategy.

This Dorset-wide strategy will be used by the private-sector-led partnership to negotiate for a share of the Government's £2 billion Local Growth Fund.

Robert Gould, Leader of West Dorset District Council, said: "Increasing economic prosperity in West Dorset is a top priority. Increasing the number of better paid jobs is vital, which is why we are working to attract companies interested in moving here, securing sites for development and supporting existing businesses."

Ian Munro-Price, Economic Development Briefholder at Weymouth & Portland Borough Council, said: "Setting priorities that show how we can improve our economic prosperity is very important. Weymouth and Portland is a fantastic place to do business and improving our economy is a top priority."

"Now is the time for us to capitalise on massive infrastructure improvements, like the relief road, and do all we can to attract more businesses and better paid jobs to our borough."

The Dorset Local Enterprise Partnership (LEP) will be drawing up its Dorset Growth Strategy this autumn. The Government has confirmed that £2 billion will be available nationally for 2015/16 from the Local Growth Fund. The Dorset LEP has also been allocated 47.3 million Euros over seven years from 2014-2020 to boost the county's economy.

The West Dorset District Council and Weymouth and Portland Borough Council's "Priorities for Economic Growth" plan is available to view online by visiting - [www.dorsetforyou.com/economicdevelopment/west](http://www.dorsetforyou.com/economicdevelopment/west)

The plan was approved by Weymouth & Portland Borough Council on September 3rd and by West Dorset District Council on September 10th.

## Storage units raided

BURGLARS have raided an outbuilding in the Littlemoor area of Weymouth and stolen two bicycles, cycling and diving equipment including a wetsuit.

The incident is believed to have taken place sometime between 6pm on Friday, September 13th, and 1.30pm on Sunday September 15th at a block of flats on Louviers Road.

Police say entry was gained to a total of seven storage units housed inside an outbuilding and that officers have since recovered one of the bicycles and some of the diving items buried in a ditch on Louviers Road. No arrests have been made.

PC Sally Ludlow, of Weymouth Police, said: "I am appealing for witnesses to this crime and am keen to hear from anyone who may have information about who is responsible to come forward."

"The offender or offenders have targeted seven mini storage units situated inside an outbuilding and taken some very expensive items. The victim has been left out of pocket and is very keen to get these belongings back."

"I would also like to hear from anyone who may have been offered these items in strange circumstances or for an unusually low price to contact Dorset Police on the non-emergency number 101."

Witnesses and anyone with information should call Dorset Police in confidence on 101 quoting incident number 15:244 or call the free and anonymous Crimestoppers line on 0800 555 111.

## Would you pay to watch beach quadbike event?

WEYMOUTH and Portland council wants people's views on new proposals for a quad bike event on Weymouth Beach which include charging to see it.

Last year's quad bike event was a success and this year organisers are looking at ways to invest further and make it even bigger and better.

They say they are passionate about establishing and developing a major motor sport event in Weymouth that will attract top international riders and drivers.

But to make this happen they say they would need to charge a fee to spectators because without sponsors

and-or gated ticketed entry there is no guarantee that the event can be staged in the future.

Weymouth and Portland tourism spokesman Councillor Ian Bruce said that increasing investment opportunities can be an additional way for the borough council to make activities sustainable and create a greater economic worth for the borough.

He added: "The prospect of being able to fund events like this from a spectator entrance fee is by way of an experiment to see whether we can make our events and festivals even better without relying on taxpayers' money."

"I am delighted that there are plans for the quad bikes to come back for a second year as the event was clearly popular with visitors."

The proposal is for 1.8 metre heras fencing covered in material, similar to that around the Live Site during the 2012 Olympics, to be put up along the Esplanade from the Pavilion end of the beach to the Jubilee Clock.

The fencing would be placed halfway across the promenade with one side for fee-paying spectators and the other retained for the general public.

Members of the public are being asked for views on this proposal and

the borough council will make a decision in line with the general consensus of opinion.

The event is due to be staged on February 22nd-23rd, 2014, with part of the beach closed to the public for the quad bikes.

The fencing would be up between February 21st-24th and consultation on the idea will close on Friday, October 11th.

To take part in that consultation people can go online at <https://consultationtracker.dorsetforyou.com> or paper copies are available on request at the Council Offices, North Quay, Weymouth.

## Council consider alternative use for town's park and ride

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used park and ride centres and also attracting yet another group of tourists to their area."

Weymouth and Portland transport spokesman Councillor Christine James said she and parking and transport head Chris Graves were both keen to see motor homes and campervans encouraged to stay in car parks overnight and so spend more money.

The council's management committee has already backed "flexible use of parking stock" to find other revenue streams to counter under-use including "motorhome dedicated parking spaces". A wide range of other measures is also being considered from drive-in-movies to Shakespeare in the Car Park at sites such as the Swannery, Lodmoor or

the Nothe.

Councillor James said she had talked to Mr Mills and thanked him for his idea, an approach she said management committee had already discussed.

She added: "I have talked with Chris Graves and we both agree that motor homes and campervans parking up in a car park overnight is a popular feature on the continent."

"If DCC is now considering such an idea for Mount Pleasant then we will have no hesitation in working with them on this."

"For us the situation is very simple. Weymouth has to evolve. It is all about price, place and product. What we want to do is use car parks as more than just a piece of tarmac we put vehicles on. We want to improve what we offer and attract

more visitors in."

"Historically our car parks are quiet after 6pm, so if other uses can be found to attract people during quiet periods they have to be embraced."

"Motor home and campervan users are a new group we could attract to Weymouth if we make it enticing enough for them. The local economy does not grow unless we improve the product, evolve and keep on evolving."

Wyke Regis county and borough councillor Kate Wheller thanked Mr Mills for his idea and said: "During discussions with a number of campervan owners earlier in the year I was told about this facility in many European countries which provides a link up with electricity etc. Owners told me that they would gladly pay for the convenience."



■ ABASSADORS for a summer sporting event, which formed part of the the Olympic Legacy project, were thanked at an afternoon tea party hosted by the Volunteer Centre Dorset.

Members of the ambassador programme were treated to tea at the Pavilion Weymouth as a thank you for all the time and efforts they put into the Festival of Sport as part of the Olympic legacy and the Summer to Remember this past summer.

The Volunteer Centre Dorset, in co-operation with the local authorities, are keen to ensure that volunteering and local communities benefit from

the influx of new volunteers as a result of the 2012 games.

Working to develop new and exciting opportunities for volunteers to be involved in, the Volunteer Centre is looking to expand and ambassador programme and roll it out across the county.

Pictured from left are Craig Womble, Deputy Manager of the Volunteer Centre Dorset, Matt Ryan, Head of Tourism & Events at Weymouth & Portland Borough Council, Hedley Harrison, Vice Chairman of the Volunteer Centre Dorset and Claire Pullinger, Ambassador Programme Co-ordinator at the Volunteer Centre Dorset.

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## Training scheme begins for family charity helpers

A DORCHESTER-based charity which helps support parents in their homes is about to start a training course for new volunteers.

The volunteers work alongside families with young children in the Dorchester, Weymouth and Portland areas, making weekly visits to help those who have children, or at least one child, under the age of five.

Their role is to provide friendship, advice and practical support as well as a "listening ear".

Home-Start West Dorset has recruited new volunteers who are parents or have parenting experience and are able to offer between two and three hours a week to support a family in need.

"Our Volunteer Preparation Course is the route into becoming a home-visiting volunteer with Home-Start West Dorset and will provide you with the foundation of knowledge required for this role.

"The course provides a challenging and holistic view on the role of a volunteer and the varied support we provide to our families. It is a recognised course and you have the option of obtaining accreditation to Level 1 or Level 2 while completing the course by submitting work alongside your classroom based learning," said a spokesperson for the service.

The course, which starts at Poundbury on Wednesday, October 2nd, involves 40 hours of training delivered

over 10 weeks.

Earlier this year 12 new volunteers were trained and between April and the end of July nine families were matched with volunteers.

Over the past year 66 families have been supported with a total of 167 children benefiting.

The charity is also looking for help in other ways – including fundraisers who can organise activities with help and support from the Home-Start staff.

If you would like further information about working as a volunteers, or can help with fund-raising please contact the charity on 01305 265072 or e-mail office@homestartwest-dorset.co.uk.

## Become a minibus driver volunteer

FREE minibus driver training is being offered for those who will later be able to spare some time for Dorset community groups.

A couple of places are available on day courses starting on either October 2nd or the 9th in Blandford, run by Dorset Community Transport.

The training is being offered as part of the POPP programme to improve access to transport within rural Dorset by developing Neighbour Car schemes across the county, a minibus directory and a register of volunteer drivers.

The MiDAS qualified Minibus Driver Training takes place on both days between 9.30am and 2.30pm and will include driver licensing, driving for safety and economy, walk-round checks, reversing and manoeuvring, minibus law, fitness to drive, breakdowns, collisions and emer-

gency evacuation.

"If you undertake the training we will ask that you agree to be included in a 'Volunteer Driver Directory' and you might then be approached by groups to drive a minibus for them at some point in the future, on a 'one-off' basis," said Sue Warr from Dorset POPP.

The theory part of the course lasts up to five hours and the driving assessment two hours, with the theory on one day and the assessment on a separate day.

Those taking the course will have to sit a multiple choice test on the theory assessment with a required 80 per cent pass mark and an individual driving assessment.

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# Water repair works will cause coast road disruption

COMMUTERS will face serious disruption when work is carried out to replace an Abbotsbury water main which has burst twenty-two times in the last 17 years.

The Wessex Water project is due to start on January 6th, 2014, and could last 12 weeks, although the company hopes to finish before that.

Two teams of engineers will start in the centre of the village at the junction of Market Street and Rodden Row with one team working east towards Weymouth and the other west towards Bridport.

WW design engineer Alan Marler said the ageing water main lies be-

by Harry Walton  
hdswalton@yahoo.co.uk

neath the B3157 in West Street, Market Street and Rodden Row, narrow road which must be closed for safety reasons during work.

He added: "We realise that this is going to be extremely disruptive, so we will be working as fast as possible using an innovative technique known as 'pipe bursting'.

"This takes a new section of pipe and inserts it within the old main which is broken off and removed by machinery as the new main is laid. This technique uses a series of pits along the road and is

twice as fast as trench digging."

But even this cutting edge approach means Abbotsbury will have no through traffic during this period because the road between Glebe Close and West Street will still need to be closed in both directions during work.

Extensive talks between WW and Dorset County Council have seen the authority's highways department recommend using a diversion route which will take through traffic from Weymouth north to the Dorchester Football Club roundabout

and then up the A35 to Winterbourne Abbas and on to Bridport.

There will be no diversion for residents' traffic which will have 24-hour access to Abbotsbury right through the works while village businesses will be open as usual.

Buses from Weymouth will terminate at the village car park while those from Bridport will stop at Abbotsbury Sub-Tropical Gardens. WW will then arrange free courtesy shuttle buses into Abbotsbury from both bus points.

Mr Marler said: "This work is essential if we are to maintain reliable water supplies to people and businesses in Abbotsbury.

"It is inevitable that it will cause some inconvenience to local people, but we are hoping that by using unique engineering methods to carry out the work that disruption will be minimized.

"We are keen to hear any views or suggestions from residents that may help reduce the impact of this work.

"To achieve this a drop-in session will be held on October 8th at the Strangers Village Hall from 2pm-8pm when people can put their suggestions and views forward."



ALAN Marler at the point where water main replacement work will start in Abbotsbury

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■ GEOFF Miller with some of his work

## Art of the written word goes on show at library

MORE than one hundred examples of calligraphy have been displayed in the Mulberry Gallery at Weymouth Library.

The works have all been created by Weymouth calligrapher Geoff Miller. He said: "It has taken me 20 years to accumulate all these examples of calligraphy."

"I am a member of the Lorton Scribes who encouraged me to stage this exhibition."

"I have a number of favourites including one employing different colours which gradually fade while displaying: 'There is gold at the end of the rainbow'."

"That display has sprinkled gold while others have gold leaf continuously applied for the display."

He added that Lorton Scribes are now preparing for their biannual exhibition at the library which is due to be staged in 2014.

## First aider's skills called into action

by Harry Walton

A TRAINEE first aider is asking more people to learn how to save lives and join St John Ambulance in Weymouth after he helped a patient with potentially serious injuries at a football match.

Jake Brewer, 24, joined the nation's leading first aid charity in May after experience of volunteering with other organisations.

His skills came into play on August 20th when a footballer from Frome was injured 35 seconds into Weymouth FC's first match of the season.

The player had collided with the brick wall and metal post that surrounds the pitch at the Bob Lucas Stadium. He was unconscious and Jake was among the St John Ambulance volunteers called to help.

Together with club physiotherapists and a local doctor, the volunteers looked after the patient until an ambulance arrived, then helped paramedics move him onto a spinal board and transport him to Dorchester Hospital.

It was Jake's first public duty with St John Ambulance – exactly one month after he successfully completed his trainee first aider course. He moved to Weymouth from Bristol with his partner and daughter in 2010.

Jake said: "This was the first time I had dealt with a patient who had a possible serious spinal injury, so it was pretty daunting."

"I was worried I would freeze but I just got on with it. Potentially, you are playing with someone's life, so you have to help."

"This type of injury is one of the worst types you can be faced with because the patient could be paralysed, but I'm glad I was able to do my bit and I feel a lot more confident in my first aid skills now."

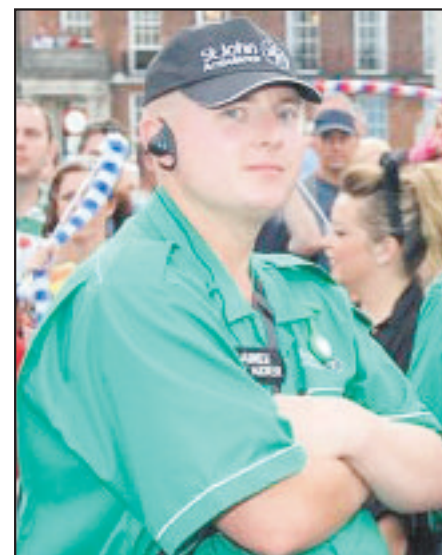
Jake, who is a full time carer added: "Some people are just 'take take take' but I like to give something back, so I joined St John Ambulance."

"I hope my experience encourages more people to learn first aid, or join our unit in Weymouth, because the more people who can be the difference between a life lost and life saved, the better."

The town's unit manager, Julie Dean, said: "Within one minute of play, Jake was dealing with an unconscious patient who had been seriously injured, calling for the ambulance and assisting with treatment and care, so his training in the classroom situation paid off."

"Working with me and our fellow volunteer, first aider Laura Hamilton, Jake stayed calm and did incredibly well. I'm very proud of him."

St John Ambulance is running a first aid



■ FIRST aider Jake Brewer

course at its Weymouth HQ, in Westwey Road, on Wednesday, October 9th and October 16th, from 7.30pm-9.30pm. The cost is £25, plus VAT, per person.

To book a place, call Grant Wilson on 01305 751157, or visit [www.sja.org.uk](http://www.sja.org.uk).

## Plans for bigger and better spirit of Portland festival

PLANS are being drawn up for an even bigger and better Spirit of Portland festival for 2014. All events held this year at the inaugural festival will be repeated next year and talks are being held to introduce a number of new ones.

Organiser Rachel Barton said: "We are looking at holding a Wakeham Wacky Races event

with homemade carts including some winter trial days for entrants to test their carts before the festival."

"We are also hoping to stage a Southwell Street Fayre, but all these new ideas are dependant on local businesses getting on board and supporting the festival."

She added that repeat events will range

from art exhibitions to family fun days and open gardens.

Anyone who would like to help or who has any ideas for the festival should contact Rachel on 01305-826176.

They can also attend a working group meeting on October 21st at 10am in the Boat That Rocks.

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# Oh we do like to be beside the seaside!

WEYMOUTH and Portland Mayor Ray Banham has officially opened the town's first luxury care home.

Highclere House, on Cross Road, was given the seal of approval by Councillor Banham at a vintage pier-themed party.

Members of the public were invited to the new 70-bed home to enjoy traditional candy floss, sweet barrows, an ice cream stall, peep boards, a caricaturist, popcorn and vintage film footage from the town of yesteryear.

Mr Banham said he was delighted to open the new home and added: "The facilities here are fantastic and the interiors are incredible – the home is styled on the rock stars of the 1950s which is perfect for the rock and roll generation!"

"It's wonderful to see so many people here today. This is a space for the whole community to enjoy."

Home Manager Helen Holden said she wanted to celebrate the heritage of the town with the opening of the home.

She added: "Many of the residents who have already come to stay with us remember the Weymouth of the 1940s and 1950s when the pier was in its heyday, so we wanted to capture a bit of that seaside atmosphere at the opening party."

The £7million home, run by luxury care home provider Gracewell Healthcare, has created 75 new jobs in the town and promises to be at the heart of the local community.

The home was named by pupils from nearby Holy Trinity Church Of England Primary School with whom the home enjoys a strong partnership, recently donating



■ WEYMOUTH and Portland Mayor Ray Banham officially opened Highclere House care home

£8,000 to the new school garden.

Highclere House combines a boutique hotel interior design with leading-edge dementia and innovative specialist care facilities and services.

Among many innovative features the new home will include a luxurious hair and beauty spa, a nail bar, a chic cafe, a library and will have WiFi access throughout the home.

## Lions prepare for annual beach motocross event

A RECORD number of bikes are due to take part in the Weymouth and Portland Lions' Beach Motocross weekend in October.

More than 250 motocross riders are expected to take part in the event which this year organisers are promising will be bigger and better than before.

As well as motocross demonstrations, there will a variety of entertainment on offer during the weekend including music from Weymouth Concert Brass Band, stalls on

the Esplanade, a display of vintage vehicles on the pavilion forecourt and a fun fair and rides.

Weymouth and Portland Lions President Russ Woolley said: "We keep trying to make our Beach Motocross event bigger and better and more and more fun."

"As well as the new attractions and entertainment features we expect a fantastic range of stalls to line the Esplanade ranging from charity stalls drawing attention to local and national good causes, Trimar, The Air Ambu-

lance, Osprey Leisure Centre and Melcombe Regis Rotary Club promoting Shelterbox."

There will also be a range of food and drink stalls including mackerel baps, ice cream, bakery goods, fudge, candyfloss.

The town's park and ride will be operating on both days.

The Lions' Weymouth Beach Motocross Weekend will take place on October 19th and 20th.

## Sign up to weekly Parkrun

ORGANISERS of the popular Weymouth parkrun event are trying to get runners with disabilities to take part in their tenth run on Saturday, November 9th.

Joint run director Michael Wilkinson said they also hoped to get numbers up from its current average of 80 to more than 100 runners every Saturday before Christmas.

He said: "We are looking to get more of the Weymouth community and surrounding area involved in running and volunteering."

Weymouth parkrun is a weekly free five kilometre time run every Saturday at 9am where participants pit themselves against the clock.

The event is held in Lodmoor Country Park and is free to enter, but those taking part must register before their first run. They should also only ever register with parkrun once, bringing their printed copy of their barcode with them. Without that barcode they will not get a time. More details are available on [www.parkrun.org.uk/weymouth/](http://www.parkrun.org.uk/weymouth/).

Mr Wilkinson said: "We all run for our own enjoyment. Please come along and join in whatever your pace!"

"It is entirely organised by volunteers - email [weymouthhelpers@parkrun.com](mailto:weymouthhelpers@parkrun.com) to help - and every week we grab a post parkrun coffee in the college gym. Please come and join us."

## Betting shop raid

RAIDERS armed with baseball bats and a hammer have stolen £815 from the Coral betting shop at Lodmoor Hill, Weymouth.

They entered the bookies on Dorchester Road at about 8pm on Saturday, September 21st, threatened staff and demanded cash before escaping.

Police said two men were involved and detectives from Weymouth CID are appealing for witnesses or anyone who may have seen someone acting suspiciously to come forward and contact them.

A 24-year-old man, of no fixed abode, and a 25-year-old Weymouth man were later arrested.

Anyone able to help police with their enquiries should contact officers on 101.

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## Council backs garage demolition proposals

PLANNERS have gone against their officers' advice and approved the demolition of several garages in Weymouth so two semi-detached homes can be built in their place.

A similar application was refused last year on grounds of "over development" and members of Weymouth and Portland planning committee were recommended to refuse the latest scheme on almost the same grounds.

But members voted 6-4 against that recommendation, deciding instead to back approval for the scheme subject to conditions including materials, landscaping and parking.

Councillor Christine James said: "I actually don't think this scheme is that bad. How are architectural plans ever to evolve if we say they have to go away and come back with something similar to what is already there?"

Vice-chairman Councillor Kevin Hodder said members had visited the site, wanted it developed and he couldn't see a problem with two homes.

He added: "It really boils down to whether you like that design or not."

Not everyone agreed and Councillor Anne Kenwood said: "I don't like it. I think it is overdevelopment. I think it is cramped and a lost opportunity to build a good single dwelling."

Councillor Margaret Leicester said: "I think we should refuse this because I do not think what is proposed fits in with the street scene at all."

But the meeting then narrowly voted to support the scheme.

## Hallowe'en quiz night

WEYMOUTH'S Friends of Greenhill Gardens are organising a spooky Hallowe'en night quiz.

A full evening's entertainment with an easy quiz and great food is planned for Saturday, October 5th at 7.30pm in the Lodmoor pub on Preston Beach Road.

It costs £8.50 including a fish and chips supper and anyone who comes wearing a spooky hat may be in for an extra prize.

# Gifts galore from French friends

THERE were flowers everywhere when a Weymouth and Portland civic group paid an official visit to its twin town of Louviers in France.

The group was led by Mayor and Mayoress, Councillors Ray Banham and Pam Nixon, and Mr Banham was very impressed at what he saw.

He said: "There were flowers everywhere in Louviers, in the streets, on bridges, all over the roundabouts and it was the same in every town we passed - flowers everywhere."

The party of 44 spent three days in Louviers where they were welcomed at the twinning dinner by Louviers' First Deputy Mayor Roland Lienard on behalf of Mayor Franck Martin.

Mr Banham praised the 55 years of friendship between the towns and looked forward to the link continuing for a long time.

He highlighted the refurbishment of the Louviers lamp standard, presented to Weymouth on the 30th anniversary of the twinning. It stands



■ FROM the left are Louviers Twinning Society chairman Jacqueline Hamon, Councillor Pam Nixon, Councillor Ray Banham, Doris Eastwood and Roland Lienard  
Photo by Trevor Matthews

by Harry Walton

at the corner of Westham Road and Frederick Place.

The evening ended with the traditional exchange of gifts as Mr Banham presented First Deputy Mayor Lienard with a framed picture and a silver yacht en-

graved with Weymouth 2012 on the sail.

Mr Banham said later: "The Mayoress and I received a fantastic welcome from the French Mayor and members.

"On our first visit, we enjoyed the lovely town centre and especially the very interesting Notre Dame church."

Weymouth Twinning Chairman Cath Irving

told the mayors: "It's such a delight to be in Louviers again and we feel real members of your families, having watched your children grow and shared the weddings and births of grandchildren."

"It makes us so happy

to be here with you again."

She added that the society hopes more exchange visits can be arranged for young people between Weymouth, Portland and Louviers.

She said: "This year we had a request for young people in Louviers to learn to sail on the tall ship Pelican. Seven young people between the ages of 16 and 25 are being offered this opportunity."

First Deputy Mayor Roland Lienard made a special presentation to Doris Eastwood, who has been the Honorary Town Crier of Louviers for 30 years.

The official reception at which 120 French and English members attended was followed by a family picnic then a visit to the Villarceaux Estate, close to the border of Ile de France and Normandy, which in William the Conqueror's time was a very important strategic location.

The reciprocal visit of the Mayor of Louviers to Weymouth takes place next June.

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# Youngsters restore garden to former glory

WEYMOUTH District Beaver Scout Colony has restored the back yard at Westham Community Centre with help from more than a dozen student members of a local National Citizen Service group.

Beaver scout leader Sue Carter said they, the students and two adults leaders all pulled together and completed the transformation in just five days after a lot of hard preliminary work on the site in Newstead Road.

She added: "It is now fantastic and has already been used by four groups in the two weeks since it was handed over to us."

Sue explained that they were working towards their Environment Badge and, because the colony is a stand alone group, they worked for and with the community to restore the yard at the back of the former church where they meet into a garden so the beavers and a toddler group can play and adults can find some peace.

She added: "As well as the 'yard to garden' project we hope to be planting trees, along Cockles Lane, as

part of the work towards this badge.

"The beavers have already been weeding and planted plants and seeds in pots as well as doing a drawing each of what they would like the garden to look like.

"Young people are so often grumbled about but I can honestly say that I have never seen so many youngsters working so hard and with so much enthusiasm. They were all very keen and have done an absolutely fantastic job.

"The church was bombed during the war and when the church was rebuilt in the early 1950s the rubble was never cleared away it was just pushed to one side. When I asked about turning the yard into a garden it was considered too expensive to move the rubble and too dangerous to do anything else with so I was not too sure what to do about it.

"We had started clearing the brambles off the rubble but by the time it was finished by the students we could not recognise it – no weeds or brambles anywhere.

"Yes the bricks are still there but decking, donated by one of the Beaver parents, has been put up over the slope at one end and on it is a wonderful seating area with a sunshade. On the wider area of rubble the students have put the plants that the beavers had planted in pots, bringing some colour into the garden. The area for the toddlers now has childproof bark on it and has been edged so a gravel path does not go into their area.

"One of the students had his legs shaved to raise even more money towards the garden and I am still drooling at the wonderful tea party they made for everyone that visited the garden on the final handover.

"There are still some things that the beavers can do but we will never forget what has been done for us by the young people of Weymouth, Portland, Dorchester, Bridport and the surrounding areas."

She also thanked a variety of individuals, groups and businesses for their help and support with the project.



■ THE garden after its make over

## 'Home from Home' scheme looking for hosts

A PIONEERING service to help people with dementia and memory loss has been launched in Dorset.

East Boro Housing Trust is offering home from home respite for sufferers and carers and is now looking for host in Weymouth, Portland and several other areas.

The organisation is recruiting people across the county to host small daily social groups in their own homes.

This gives sufferers a unique opportunity to meet and socialise with like-minded people in a safe and stimulating environment.

The service, which is called Home from Home, was initially developed

by East Boro on behalf of Bournemouth Borough Council and the Borough of Poole. However, it has proved so successful that the Wimborne-based organisation is now rolling it out across Dorset.

Sam Way, East Boro's Home from Home co-ordinator, explained: "Dementia and memory loss can be extremely distressing and isolating. Our Home from Home service gives people the opportunity to chat, make new friends and enjoy activities in a supportive and caring environment.

"At Home from Home we treat people as people, not as sufferers and at all times we encourage them to be as independent as possible.

"The service is also great for carers as it gives them a break and opportunity to do the things they need to do, safe in the knowledge the person they care for is being supported by a host.

"This sort of respite is crucial for all involved and it can really make a positive difference to people's lives.

Hosts will welcome up to four people aged 55 and over into their homes between 9am and 3pm on week days. There they provide a range of person-centred activities, as well as a two-course lunch and refreshments. Anyone interested in the service can contact Miss Way on 01202 883503.

## The Christian Column

### AS I SEE IT ... by Geoff Treleaven

## The worried look

Soon after I joined the Thorn Group, I was aware of an unknown person walking towards my office. When he asked directions to my boss, being busy with figures, I just pointed without speaking. I subsequently learned that the visitor was none other than Sir Jules Thorn, our Chairman. When I questioned what he would think of an employee who had not replied to his question, I was told he would actually be pleased that I was too busy!

I remember a senior staff member elsewhere, who described looking busy. He said some people carry a piece of paper, but he carried a worried look. More recently, in a large supermarket store, I noticed a very busy man dashing around from one place to another. When I enquired if he was the manager, he said he was and asked how he could help. I said there was no problem but I had noticed his worried look.

I do realise there are many pressures on present day staff and managers – hence those who go sick with stress, stomach ulcers and heart attacks. But Jesus promised His disciples a peace within as opposed to troubled hearts and fear. (See John 14:27)

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car until 2011, while the Acclaim has one lady owner until 2012 and come with full history plus MoT test and tax.

Classic Car Weekly contributor Guy Loveridge is heading up Busby's motoring department and already has plenty of classic

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# Weymouth Matters

A personal View by HARRY WALTON

## Killer whales, bears and snakes...only in Canada

WITH one majestic surge the killer whale powered out of the sea with a luckless seal in its mouth before crashing back in a cloud of spray.

Each year tourists flock to British Columbia to go orca sightseeing, but it is extremely rare to be close enough to see these wolves of the sea make a kill.

It wasn't pretty but this was nature in the raw with one of the planet's most powerful predators in action – the giant bull's dorsal fin was six feet high – and it was an incredibly impressive incident.

Despite that, it was only one natural highlight during a wonderful holiday to British Columbia in Western Canada that also included snakes, humming birds, deer, eagles, muskrat, quail, humpback whales, chipmunks, blue jays, black squirrels and sea otters.

We'd flown in to Vancouver, met the friend we would stay with and then caught the ferry out to Vancouver Island.

Almost before I knew it we were bowling along surrounded by majes-

tic tree covered mountains past picturesque lakes with evidence everywhere of the country's logging heritage.

We packed an incredible amount into the holiday from local markets and crafts to a visit to Cathedral Grove where giant trees already centuries old when Magna Carta was signed in 1215 towered up to 247ft above our heads.

Wineries and cideries were toured and we went to the island's capital, Victoria, to walk round its picturesque harbour area and visit the main museum to see a fascinating artefact-packed exhibition chronicling Amundsen and the ill-fated Captain Scott's attempts to reach the South Pole first.

Scott's poignant letter noting that "the end cannot be long now" made a great impression as did other museum sections on everything from natural history to native peoples and some incredible totem poles.

Butchart Gardens entranced us with stunning summer colours and some fantastic floral displays, we watched a sea otter catch and eat a



fish at Cowichan Bay near where we were staying and saw spectacular sunsets while enjoying a glass of the local porter.

All this and barely half the holiday gone, but things just got better and better.

We trekked through forest to visit the 144ft Kinsoll Trestle north of Shawnigan Lake, the largest wooden

trestle in the Commonwealth and one of the highest wooden railway trestles in the world, being slightly startled along the way by garter snakes shooting across our path!

There was also a visit to the BC Forest Discovery Centre museum to see logging history brought to life with old machinery and photographs going back more than a century be-

fore going out that night for a sumptuous meal at Steeples restaurant.

One unusual visit was to a tea farm tucked away between Victoria and Nanaimo off the Trans Canada Highway while we enjoyed relaxing days strolling along lake shores, exploring forest trails or just relaxing in village pubs by little harbours, watching life go by while sipping one of the rich local beers.

Soon it was time to catch the ferry back to Vancouver and the mainland where we headed way north into wilderness country for a night in a motor home parked overlooking Logan Lake. You keep your door locked out there because of bears and by dawn we had mountain lion tracks within a hundred yards of our campsite!

The final part of our stay was three nights in Vancouver where we bought a Big Bus pass which enabled us to hop on and hop off wherever we wanted.

We first toured the entire downtown area to get our bearings before joining a tour of Stanley Park with its trees, gardens and aquarium.

There was also a chance to go shopping in the Granville Island complex and we also toured Chinatown before stopping off at Gastown to see its famous steam clock strike 4pm with great plumes of steam.

Night meant top class restaurants with top class food, Milestones probably being our favourite. It was expensive but not crippling and we had great fun seeing the city's different face.

Other snapshots included the sea-plane terminal where we watched plane after plane zip across the water into the air, the iconic Olympic cauldron and several impressive bridges.

All too soon we had to fly home but there was still time to enjoy huge wood carvings and a giant aquarium at Vancouver Airport which also boasts a stream running over pebbles and little waterfalls, hardly standard concourse decoration.

A lovely surprise awaited us when we got home as our zodiac captain who had taken us out to see killer whales had emailed us pictures from the trip. Striking memories of a perfect holiday.

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# Atlantic adventure for novice sailor

THE Bay of Biscay provided the setting for an Atlantic adventure when a senior cadet from Weymouth's Budmouth College Combined Cadet Force tackled rough seas to achieve her Competent Crew Award.

Cadet RSM Dervla Ireland, studying at Budmouth Sixth Form, was one member of a crew comprising of ten cadets and four adults who set off on an attempt to sail the Bay of Biscay.

The crossing is famed for its stormy Atlantic seas and with many yachting novices on board, it was set to be difficult.

The challenge started from La Coruna in Spain and finished at Brest in France.

The yacht was the Adventure 67 which had already undertaken many successful training voyages including several Atlantic crossings.

On arrival the cadets were first taught the basic drills of rigging the sails, navigating, ropework and safety drills.

To achieve their competency award, it was vital that all of the crew could complete every task such



■ THE group of novice sailors who completed their Competent Crew Award by sailing around the Bay of Biscay (inset: Budmouth CCF cadet Dervla Ireland)

as the helming and navigating of the boat.

The crew was split into two sections, blue and red watch, and these teams then worked together throughout the voyage.

After becoming accustomed to the skills required, the crew set off on a short 20 nautical mile trip to learn how to sail the boat.

This was all completed successfully and so, on the fourth day, the main

expedition began.

Several sections of the journey required night sailing, so the watches alternated every four hours to ensure some sleep was had!

The Bay of Biscay produced many wonderful sights including pods of dolphins and historical coastal landmarks, which all added to the enjoyment of the trip.

Eight days and 700 nautical miles later they

arrived in Brest, having conquered rough conditions and some very difficult piloting.

Cadet RSM Ireland said of the trip: "It was a fantastic yet challenging experience, requiring each of us to work as a team in order to successfully reach port."

"This became especially hard when half of the crew went down with sea sickness."

She added that the sail-

ing course is just one of many available to students at Budmouth. Cadets have also undertaken courses in flying, diving, electronics, gliding and adventure training.

Such experiences allow the young people to develop their skills and leadership potential as well as providing valuable experiences to enhance their future careers.

# Cheers! Town gears up for annual beer festival

TICKETS are selling fast for the Campaign for Real Ale's autumn beer festival at Weymouth Pavilion on October 4th-5th.

More than 4,700 pints of real ale from 66 different South West breweries will be on sale plus around 15 casks of cider and perry. There will also be live music on the Saturday night.

West Dorset CAMRA chairman Dave Harris said: "The Saturday lunch session on October 5th is the best seller at the moment with less than 100 tickets left across all outlets."

"The lunch session on Friday, October 4th, is selling much more quickly this year and both evening sessions are selling well with Friday evening looking likely to sell out first."

The popular venue at the Ocean Room had been in doubt earlier this year with Weymouth & Portland Borough Council closing the Pavilion complex.

CAMRA spokesman Michel Hooper-Immins said: "We are delighted that the new tenants have reopened the building."

"There's no doubt the Ocean Room was always our first choice of venue

and we're overjoyed to be back.

"It will be our third October beer festival at the Ocean Room and CAMRA members from all over the UK are already making plans to travel to Weymouth for the weekend."

He added that 66 casks of real ale had been ordered for the event including 13 from Dorset, 15 from Somerset, ten from Cornwall, nine from Wiltshire, 13 from Devon, three from Bristol and three surprises. While cider lovers will have 15 ciders and perries to try.

There are two sessions each day from 11am-3pm and 6pm-11pm with tickets costing £5 for evening sessions, £4 for Saturday lunchtime and £3 for Friday lunchtime.

They are being sold by West Dorset CAMRA online at [www.camraw-dorset.org.uk/Octoberfest.htm](http://www.camraw-dorset.org.uk/Octoberfest.htm) or from The Boot and The Globe pubs in Weymouth, the Royal Portland Arms and The George Inn on Portland and the Blue Raddle at Dorchester.

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## Training courses for groups

Dorset Community Action is staging a series of training events during the autumn – most aimed at community and voluntary groups.

The first takes place today (September 25th) at Chickerell with a networking lunch which will include guest speakers and information about the support available from Dorset Community Action.

The free event is supported by Magna Housing.

The course called “get your project off the ground” is an introductory level course and is designed for voluntary and community groups and individuals taking participants through the process of developing their idea from finding out about need, undertaking consultation and market research to developing a case for support.

Other courses include “Planning for Success” on October 10th, “Getting Ahead with Social Media” on October 15th; and from mid-October to mid-November various one-day events at locations throughout the area aimed at improving success with funding bids.

In November courses look at the trustee, roles, responsibilities and recruitment.

Most courses cost £30 per person for voluntary and community groups, £50 for statutory organisations.

To find out more about these courses and to book your place visit [www.dorsetcommunityaction.org.uk/training-events](http://www.dorsetcommunityaction.org.uk/training-events).

## Care at home

A DORSET care provider is giving advice to families with elderly relatives now that the weather is turning cold.

Altogether Care offers a home service scheme which gives care to elderly people in their own homes.

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# Waitrose partnership with volunteer centre

WAITROSE branches across Dorset are supporting volunteering throughout September as part of the nationwide Waitrose “Partner Volunteering” scheme.

The scheme, which was launched in May 2012, sees all 295 Waitrose larger branches donate 250 hours of employees' time to local charities and good causes.

The scheme has been designed to enable Waitrose Partners (employees) to take time out of their day-to-day jobs to give back to their local community.

Branches in Dorset are teaming up with the Dorchester-based Dorset Volunteer Centre to highlight the value and benefit of volunteering to both Partners and customers, providing information about volunteering opportunities in the local community.

Waitrose Community Partner, Jess Monkhouse said: “Waitrose branches



■ MARK Andre, Waitrose Dorchester Manager, with Marie Waterman, Volunteer Centre Manager and Helen Osborne one of the Waitrose Partners who will be offering her time to work in the community

always aim to become part of the community in which they serve and the Partner Volunteering initiative is a fantastic opportunity to do this.

“It is great to be work-

ing with the Dorset Volunteer Centre to raise awareness of the local volunteering projects that our Partners and customers can get involved with.

“Some of our Partners have already volunteered in their local area and it is such a valuable and enjoyable experience that we hope others will be inspired to do similar.”

## Book your tickets early for concert

A TICKET rush is being predicted after today's (Thursday) announcement that the Bournemouth Symphony Orchestra is to return to Weymouth Pavilion on January 9th, 2014.

They will be repeating their hugely popular Johann Strauss Viennese New Year's Concert which virtually sold out this year and is expected to do so again in 2014.

Pavilion manager Phil Say has also recently announced that this year's Christmas pantomime, Cinderella, will start at the Pavilion Theatre on December 12th and run until January 5th.

He said: “The pantomime has already sold hundreds of tickets and we are still only in September!

“As for the BSO, their reputation is well known and we have had a massive amount of inquiries about whether they were going to stage a New Year's concert again.

“We can now confirm today that they will be staging such a concert and, since nearly 1,000 tickets were sold for a similar event this year, we would strongly urge people to book early for 2014 because the concert could sell out.”

Mr Say took over running the Pavilion from Weymouth and Portland council on July 13th since then he said the venue had done really well.

He added: “People have been hugely supportive and I hope they continue to be so because the key to success here is community backing.

“One thing, which has truly amazed me, is the amount of people who want to hire us as a venue.

“I have bookings for everything from a dog show to a ladies' night with male strippers, from heavy metal to a classical orchestra and about everything else in between.

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# Charmouth Parking Refund Scheme

## Popular Charmouth Autumn/Winter Events

**Have you ever visited  
[www.charmouth.org](http://www.charmouth.org)?**

We share the website with the Charmouth Heritage Coast Centre and it is a very good source for Charmouth information. All the shops, holiday parks, pubs and cafes are on the site, which also features events, walks, maps and links to Charmouth history and the Parish Plan.

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# Hospital eye team up for top award



■ IN running for national award - Edmund Murray and his team from Dorset County Hospital

AN eye specialist and his team from the county hospital will find out whether he has won a national award this weekend.

Edmund Murray, Consultant Ophthalmologist, and his eye clinic team are in the running for the "Clinical Service of the Year Award" as part of the Macular Society's Awards for Excellence.

The nomination recognises their exceptionally good practice in the care of people with macular degeneration.

Age-related macular degeneration affects the central vision and is the most common cause of sight loss in the UK.

Dr Murray said: "It is a great honour to be nominated for this award, especially as it was a patient who felt we deserved this recognition."

"We have a fantastic team of dedicated staff in the Eye Department at Dorset County Hospital, all focused on providing the very best services and care for our patients."

"This nomination is for the entire team."

In nominations for Dr

Murray and his team, they are described as courteous, patient and providing excellent treatment in an exceedingly busy clinic.

The awards will be presented at the Society's annual London conference on Saturday, September 28th.

Helen Jackman, Chief Executive of the Macular Society, said: "Edmund Murray and his team do an incredible job in Dorchester and we are delighted that they have been recognised for their excellent work."

"It's amazing to hear how people have made such a difference to the lives of others."

"There are some fantastic people working within the sector, so it's great to be able to celebrate their hard work in this way."

The Macular Society is the national charity for anyone affected by central vision loss.

We provide free information and support to improve lives today and we fund research so that one day we can overcome macular disease.

## Last chance to submit photos

JUST a couple of days remain to enter a competition for mobile phone photographers to capture a moment in time on the South West Coast Path.

The closing date for the "Motographer of the Year 2103" competition is September 30th.

The only rule is that it is taken on a mobile phone and includes a person on any stretch of the 630-mile South West Coast Path.

Among this year's judges is the award-winning travel and landscape photographer David Noton, who runs photography workshops on Dorset's Jurassic Coast, and award leader of BA Photography at Falmouth University, Deborah Baker, who has worked with artists including Mary Ellen Mark and Robert Mapplethorpe.

Said David Noton, whose work has long taken inspiration from the South West Coast Path: "The joy of being on the South West Coast Path can be enhanced with photography."

"The very process of trying to capture the experience to share with friends and family makes us look at what's all around us on the cliff tops, headlands and in the coves with an analytical eye, noticing details and tricks of the light that maybe we wouldn't without the stimulus of photography."

"A good picture is the product of a perceptive eye, so this competition is a great opportunity for anyone with a camera phone to get creative and share their unique vision of people experiencing the pleasures of the outdoor life on the South West Coast Path with the rest of the world."

The winner will receive a iPad Mini.

Mobile photographers are invited to submit their entries via the South West Coast Path Facebook page or Twitter @swcoastpath using the hashtag #MOTY2013 by the deadline of September 30th.

For full details of how to enter the competition and terms and conditions, visit [www.southwestcoast-path.com/MOTY2013](http://www.southwestcoast-path.com/MOTY2013).

## Fire service warns of gas dangers

DORSET Fire and Rescue Service has supported Gas Safety Week – with the message that dangerous gas work can kill.

The service say that badly fitted and poorly serviced gas appliances cause gas leaks, fires, explosions and carbon monoxide poisoning.

In the last year, 333 people were injured and four people died as a result of gas related incidents.

Kate Huelin, Prevention Manager at Dorset Fire and Rescue Service said: "We would particularly like to remind Dorset residents about the dangers of Carbon Monoxide."

"It is an extremely poisonous gas, which does kill. Fitting an approved CO alarm in your home will give you an early warning that Carbon Monoxide is present. It should be tested regularly, and if it activates you should evacuate immediately."

She added: "The most common symptoms of CO poisoning include headaches, dizziness, tiredness and nausea. These symptoms are often mistaken

for flu, viruses or even food poisoning."

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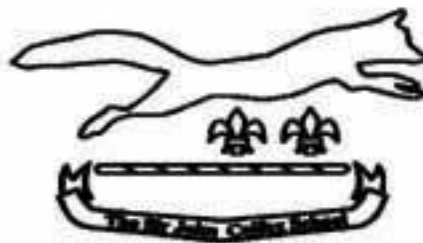
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## Perrott Hill

### Record Scholarships Results for Perrott Hill

**ANYONE** who has read the 'Good Schools Guide' will be aware that Perrott Hill pupils 'regularly win a good spread of scholarships' but this year the children have, quite simply excelled themselves. 2013 has seen 22 awards offered to the 31 pupils in Year 8; the greatest number since the schools inception in 1946.

These record-breaking results have been achieved in a number of disciplines comprising Academic, Music, Choral, Drama, Art and Sport; and they have been awarded by a wide range of senior schools including Canford, Sherborne, Sherborne Girls, Blun-

dell's, Dauntsey's, Milton Abbey, King's College, Taunton, King's Bruton and Queen's College Taunton. Whilst this is a particularly impressive year, it reflects a strong upturn in scholarship success in recent times and the 117 children leaving the school in the last four years have secured 63 awards to a vast range of schools across the country.

The phrase "Time and Space for a Full Education" runs through everything that happens at Perrott Hill. As one would expect, this is delivered from an academic perspective but the extra-curricular life at the school is also hugely important and is clearly reflected in the range of scholarships awarded.

Games take place every afternoon, the majority of our children play a musical instrument and both Art and Drama are enormously popular throughout the school. Every bit as importantly, pupils are given great personal care to develop and achieve their full potential before they step on to life at their next school.

To find out more about Perrott Hill or to arrange a visit please visit our website [www.perrotthill.com](http://www.perrotthill.com) call 01460 72051 or email [admissions@perrotthill.com](mailto:admissions@perrotthill.com)



## Chard School

**THE** new academic year started on an extremely positive note for Chard School, as it received an impressive inspection report from the Independent Schools Inspectorate during the summer term. The Head, Mrs Jane Bruce, said "What was most pleasing was the acknowledgement of what I have always known we do well: the excellent quality of the pupils' achievements and learning; the excellent quality of our extra-curricular provision; and pupils of all abilities are highly successful in their learning and personal development. It is a fabulous endorsement in the trust our parents have put in us". The report identified that 'Small class sizes enable teachers to give pupils individual feedback and support as the lesson is progressing and helps the pupils to move their learning forward'.

In addition to this, the Key Stage 2 SATs results achieved by the pupils were excellent with the children achieving well

above the national trend. The school is independent, non-selective and located in a peaceful corner of Chard, in beautiful period buildings. Fees are highly competitive and there is a Before-School Club from 8am, and After-School Club until 5.30pm, plus a range of extra-curricular activities which take place every day.

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## LymeNet



**NOW** being run by new manager Peter Jeffs, LymeNet based in the St Michaels Business Centre, off Church Street in Lyme Regis is a not for profit community organisation, which is all about giving you community access and a learning hub to improve your skills as an individual or business and to provide facilities of an Internet Café, Careers Advice, Business Services and Courses in IT, English and Maths.

The Internet Café gives the public access to using fast broadband and support, printing, scanning, fax and laminating with tea and coffee available.

LymeNet's Careers Advice service gives you fully qualified and accredited help with careers, cv's and searching and applying for work.

The courses LymeNet run are in IT, English and Maths and a number of them are free of charge. The courses are run at different levels to suit all needs and give formal qualifications at the end of them.

The Business Services they can provide are Wifi, scanning, printing, typing, laminating, copying (colour up to A3), faxing, book-a-desk, training facilities and equipment hire. They can also help with creating and updating websites, help with email and social media, and simple programs for regular tasks such as payroll, book keeping, stock codes and values.

LymeNet are unlike other establishments, they

can be flexible about how they offer courses and they try and tailor courses to individual needs whilst working in small groups which give you more one to one time. This is a big strength to learning with LymeNet as people who find learning difficult with mainstream organisa-

tions, will find it easier with LymeNet.

If you want to know more or the courses and facilities they have to offer, visit their website on [www.lymenet.co.uk](http://www.lymenet.co.uk), email them on [admin@lymenet.co.uk](mailto:admin@lymenet.co.uk) or give them a call on 01297 444570.

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**Thursday**  
September 26th 2013  
09.30 - 12.30



## PRIMARY SCHOOLS OPEN DAY

On October 10th 2013 the primary schools in Bridport will be holding a joint open day for prospective parents who have children starting school in September 2014.

Following this initial date schools will be happy to welcome parents if they are unable to attend on this date.

The following details will help you plan your visits to each of us and help you to make the right choice for your child.

The Headteacher in each school will be pleased to welcome you on the day and invite you to tour the school and spend time in the Reception classes so you can see what we each offer.

St Catherine's, Burton Bradstock and Bridport Primary  
will be open in the morning

St Mary's, Symondsburry, Powerstock and Lodors  
will be open in the afternoon

Thorner's will be open any time during the day

**Please call to book a tour time through the appropriate school office**

We look forward to welcoming you to our schools.

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## The Boat Building Academy

### New Woodworking Course at the Boat Building Academy in Lyme Regis

**THE** Boat Building Academy hopes that their new 12 week course, 'Woodworking Skills incorporating Furniture Design and Making', will cause as big a splash as their flagship boat building course. Principal Yvonne Green says 'We are all very excited by the new course, which has taken us about a year to

develop with awarding body PIABC. It is highly practical, intensive training that enables people to go from little or no woodworking skill to a high level of skill in a relatively short space of time. Students make various items, design and make a piece of furniture and take the level 3 qualification, which is benchmarked against the National Qualifications Framework. The course is exclusive to the Boat Building Academy'.

The course appeals to people looking for a career in woodworking, but also to those who want to develop a hobby or take a break from their 'real' lives learning practical skills in a superb location. Some people will start the course having never picked up a chisel before, others will have a little experience. Students are aged from 18 upwards (although the Academy does make exceptions for exceptional 17 year olds). The first course was fully subscribed and places on the 2014 courses are already being booked. The Academy plans to hold an exhibition next year of furniture designed and made by the students.

For anyone who hasn't got 12 or 38 weeks to devote to a course the Academy also runs a programme of short courses, both at Monmouth Beach in Lyme Regis and at the National Maritime Museum Cornwall in Falmouth. The short courses are also 'hands-on' and last for two to five days. The new

2014 short course programme will be posted on [www.boatbuildingacademy.com](http://www.boatbuildingacademy.com) in October.

If you would like to discuss whether the Academy's training is right for you please contact Rebecca Joseph on 01297 445545 or at [office@boatbuildingacademy.com](mailto:office@boatbuildingacademy.com)

All the work, furniture and boats pictured in the Boat Building Academy's advert have been produced by students as part of their courses.



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Time to take a look - and remember you can transfer to Beaminster at any time between Year 7 and Year 13.

Please contact the school, or just come along to our next Open Morning on Wednesday 2 October from 9-10.30am to find out more.

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## OH Crumbs



**OH** Crumbs Catering Services is part of Dorset County Council's work based projects.

Oh Crumbs training café is based in the market town of Bridport and offers the opportunity for people with a variety of disabilities, learning and special needs to work in a real commercial setting alongside experienced catering staff; learning food preparation, serving and waiting skills.

The café provides main meals, deserts and cakes as well as an outside catering service covering the whole of Dorset.

Customers can expect good value for money and a great choice of food. There is a real friendly community spirit in the café where customers can feel good in the knowledge that they are supporting the trainees.

Trainees help with all aspects of the café and catering service depending on their level of ability. Trainees work towards an NVQ in Catering and Hospitality and are visited by assessors on site. Trainees are also able to build on these skills by learning from each other and the public. The scheme is a real chance to get people out of their comfort zone, meet new people and learn valuable skills. Trainees can work anything from a couple of hours a day to three days a week.

The staff at Oh Crumbs are experienced in Health and Social care so are able to offer support to trainees beyond the catering training.

If you have a learning disability and aged 16 or over and would like to work in catering or hospitality please call Sue Rousell to arrange an informal visit. Tel number 01308 420364

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## 'Places of safety' needed

DORSET'S Police and Crime Commissioner has called for more support to help keep people with mental health problems out of police cells.

It is estimated that police officers across the county spend one in five of their working hours dealing with people who suffer from mental illness. Many end up in police cells for their own safety because there are few other places for them to go.

Martyn Underhill says the time officers spend dealing with people who need treatment, rather than arrest is time they are not on patrol, being visible and reassuring the public.

He has called on the Home Secretary to make changes to the law so that fewer people are detained by the police under the Mental Health Act, Section 136.

He said that a BBC Panorama documentary highlighted just how common it was for people to be taken into police custody for their own safety because the National Health Service is unable to cope in assessing or housing people in crisis.

"I will never accept that a police cell is a suitable place for a person in crisis.

"In Dorset and across the country, the NHS needs to provide enough suitable 'places of safety' in every area," said Mr Underhill.

He has also endorsed the plan to test the policy of having mental health professionals out on the beat with police officers.

"It is important for us to build a closer relationship between the NHS and the Police, which I will continue to lobby for in the weeks and months ahead," he said.

Mr Underhill says the county force is already doing well with people who have mental health issues and also commit crime – as opposed to those who are detained for their own, or others, safety.

"Dorset is ahead of the game in relation to this. We have mental health professionals working in our cellblocks to help support and assess those who are brought into custody."

The Police and Crime Commissioner says that it is now widely accepted that more training is needed for the police on identifying mental health issues; that there should be more assessment of individuals on the street, often as a joint police/health team and that there should be an increased role for the NHS with more facilities and funding.

## Fire service advice and news at your fingertips

DORSET Fire and Rescue Service have launched a brand new website today, which focuses on making Dorset's communities safer from fire.

The new site has been designed so that users can easily access the information they need, when they need it – whether it's a local business needing fire safety advice, or a member of the public interested in what's happening at their local fire station.

Dorset Fire and Rescue Service want to help make the communities of Dorset safer and the site focuses on just that.

There is a new postcode search facility which means in one place communities can find information about the team on their local fire station, what events and initiatives the staff are involved in, latest incidents the crews are attending and performance information for each station.

On top of this, users can contribute to the safety of their community through safety advice and recruitment opportunities.

Vikki Shearing, Head of Information Management said: "We wanted to provide our communities with a site that met their needs and makes them safer – we know that our users want information about incidents

we attend, what's going on in their area, what jobs are available and how to keep safe.

"Increasingly, they want to do this through mobile devices and social media.

"By working with a Bournemouth based company, Thinking Juice, we have developed a site that responds to these needs and the end result is something we are really proud of. "Please let us know what you think of the new site so that we can continue to make improvements."

The new site will see the launch of an "e-recruitment" system which means that potential recruits can now search for vacancies, receive alerts and apply for jobs with the fire service online.

Dorset Fire and Rescue are making the most of new technologies available to them, with links to their social media channels, the site is mobile friendly and there are video and blogs to help promote and get Dorset residents involved in the work they do.

There is a dedicated area for children as well as resources for teachers and community group leaders to help educate and inform.

The new website can be found at [www.dorsetfire.gov.uk](http://www.dorsetfire.gov.uk).

## Find out more about Rotary

MEMBERS of Portland Rotary Club will be in the foyer of the island's big Tesco store on October 26th tackling a Rotary publicity day.

The day is designed to iron out any queries people may have and to

make sure they understand where and how any donations they may make are spent.

The day, which will run from 10am to 4pm, will coincide with national publicity surrounding a new scheme of "2 for 1"

relating to the money needed to finally eradicate polio throughout the world.

It means that for every £1 donated, Microsoft founder Bill Gates, will donate £2.

Rotarians are also

staging a barn dance at the Easton Drill Hall on Saturday, November 9th.

It will cost £7.50 which will include a ploughman's supper and tickets will be available shortly.

## Tell your story

A ORAL history project that is studying the changing nature of leisure time over the last 60 years is seeking people who used to, or still do, pursue hobbies that aren't around so much nowadays.

Hobbies like, home electronics, tape recording clubs, home cinema clubs, model railway or ham radio, were all extremely popular in their day.

Dedicated amateurs would meet and swap tips, exchange recordings, enter competitions and arrange activities.

The project co-ordinators are looking for willing volunteers to share their memories to add to their archive.

The project is funded by the Heritage Lottery Fund and aims to capture and preserve memories, to ensure that an important part of our everyday heritage is not lost.

The new archive will be housed at Dorset History Centre, so that future generations can discover the views

and feelings of ordinary people through the descriptive accounts of their experience.

Joe Stevens, project leader, said: "When you look at old black and white photos or films it can look like a completely different age, but what we are hearing is that life today is not that different from times past."

Joe added: "We are not just looking for people's memories from long ago, but also the recent past. We are hoping to capture a range of stories from 1945, right up to the present day."

Volunteers are now out in the community capturing local people's leisure time memories, with volunteers working in Bridport, Dorchester, Weymouth and Portland.

If you are interested in your story being added to this archive, or you would like to find out more about this project, get in touch with Joe Stevens on 07784 874112.



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# The GEORGE

West Bay

The Hotel on the Harbourside  
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Re-opens Tuesday 1st October



**T**he George in West Bay will be under new ownership as of next Tuesday, 1st October. Christophe Dupuy and Kim Hagley, who currently run The Greyhound Inn, in Beaminster, will be the new landlords, and bring with them a wealth of experience and their excellent reputation, having recently won a Taste of the West Award.

They will be making big changes at the George, including fully refurbishing all 8 letting rooms, and modernising them with a high-end finish, including a luxury room with a four-poster bed.

The George will be open for breakfast for both resi-

dents and visitors every day, and the dining menu will be new and exciting with home cooked traditional pub classics at value prices. Punters will be able to dine a la carte in the restaurant at evenings and weekends, and the Over 60's lunchtime club, which is so popular at The Greyhound, will be introduced at The George with main meals available for just £5.

The famous Greyhound Gourmet burgers will also make an appearance on the menu at The George, as well as the traditional Sunday Carvery. To celebrate both the re-opening of the pub, and National Roast Dinner week, there will be a special offer with a Carvery every

day of their first week, from Tuesday, October 1st to Sunday, October 6th, available for just £8.95 (normally £11.95).

There will be regular live music, quiz's, and theme nights for both locals and visitors to enjoy, and The George will be strong members of pub watch to ensure the safety of all their clients.

The pub will be open all day, with the restaurant serving breakfast, lunch, and dinner from 7-11am, 12-3pm, and 5-9pm respectively. Everyone is welcome, including your pet dog, so come down and meet the new friendly faces at The George from Tuesday!

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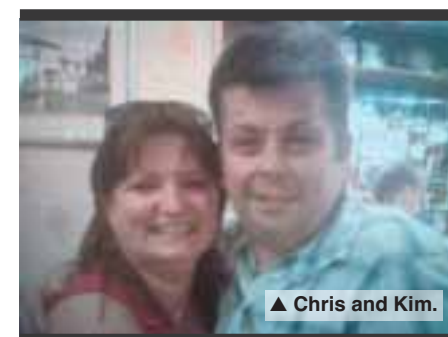
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Lucy Porter brings her new tour to the Marine Theatre

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### THE GIGS

#### Wednesday 25<sup>th</sup> Sept

Electric Palace, BRIDPORT  
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+ Twin Falls  
Doors 7pm. Tickets £7+bf adv, £9 on door.

#### Saturday 28<sup>th</sup> September

Crown Inn, BRIDPORT  
**Crimson On Silver**  
9.30pm

Bradpole Social Club, BRADPOLE  
**Tina Turner Tribute**  
9.30pm. Over 18s only.

Bridport Arts Centre, BRIDPORT  
**Silent Disco**

in aid of Cancer Research UK  
8pm-1am. Tickets £7 on the door. 17+.

Dorchester Arts Centre, DORCHESTER  
**Cherry Lee Mewis - Da Blues**  
Doors 7.30pm.  
Tickets £13/£6.50 adv / £14/£7 on door.  
Senior citizens £11 adv, £12 on door.

#### Sunday 29<sup>th</sup> September

Marine Theatre, LYME REGIS  
**Maddy Prior**  
Doors 7.45pm.  
Tickets £16.50

Crown Inn, BRIDPORT  
**Lauren & Phil Rosenberg**  
4-6pm

Electric Palace, BRIDPORT  
**Kelly Joe Phelps**  
Doors 7pm. Tickets £14+bf adv, £16 on door.

Bridport Arts Centre, BRIDPORT  
**The Taunton Sinfonietta**  
3pm. Tickets £12/£10/£5

#### Friday 4<sup>th</sup> October

Marine Theatre, LYME REGIS  
**Look, Stranger**  
7.30pm. Tickets £14/£12

Bridport Arts Centre, BRIDPORT  
**Philip Clouts Quartet**  
3pm. Tickets £10

#### Saturday 5<sup>th</sup> October

Crown Inn, BRIDPORT  
**Chill**  
9.30pm

#### Sunday 6<sup>th</sup> October

Electric Palace, BRIDPORT  
**Ralph McTell**  
Doors 7pm. Tickets £19+bf adv, £21 on door.

#### Thursday 10<sup>th</sup> October

Marine Theatre, LYME REGIS  
**Evropska Quartet**  
7.30pm. Tickets £14/£12  
Free entry to Lyme Regis Passport Holders.

Electric Palace, BRIDPORT

**The Blues Band**  
Doors 7pm. Tickets £19.50+bf adv, £21 door.

#### Friday 11<sup>th</sup> October

Bridport Arts Centre, BRIDPORT  
**Evropska Quartet**  
11am. £8/£7/£5 (includes cup of coffee)

### JAZZ, FUNK AND WORLD MUSIC

#### Philip Clouts Quartet to play in Bridport and Lyme Regis

THE Philip Clouts Quartet bring their uplifting mix of jazz, funk and world music to Bridport Arts Centre on Friday, October 4<sup>th</sup>.

Following on from the success of their previous release 'Sennen Cove' the band will be playing selections from the new CD 'The Hour of Pearl'.

Composer/pianist Philip Clouts' career has included playing at Ronnie Scotts, Symphony Hall, and Glastonbury and Womad festivals. Clouts is steeped both in the music of his native South Africa and in a diverse range of world music which he has explored to critical acclaim with his larger outfit ZubopGambia (featuring BBC World Music award winner Juldeh Camara) and which continue to inspire his compositions.

The quartet features saxophonist Carlos Lopez-Real from the London F-IRE Collective whom Dave Liebman says 'plays with a sound that comes from his soul.' Drummer Jon Desbruslais is a recent addition to the quartet who brings a fresh vitality due to his vast experience of playing Latin music in such bands as Viva La Revolution! and Son de Cuba. Completing the rhythm section on double bass is Alex Keen who works on the London scene with Tim Whitehead and Jim Mullen.

The new CD The Hour of Pearl takes its title from a poetic extract from Cannery Row, a novel by the American author John Steinbeck: "a time of great peace, a deserted time, a little era of rest...the interval between day and night when time stops and examines itself."

Philip explains how he came upon the title: "I wrote the title track on a very wintry morning, and originally had the idea of a title involving the snowfall that I could see out of my window. Then

I realised it was the quality of the early morning light that had really inspired the piece. When I read the passage in Steinbeck's book, which incidentally is much lighter and more humorous than one might expect compared to his other works, it really seemed to sum up what I had been experiencing when I wrote the title track; other pieces on the album have an equally strong sense of times of day or night, like 'As Evening Falls' and 'Nyasa Lullaby', so Steinbeck's explorations touched on this for me as well. And I found other themes in the book resonated with the sense of 'home' with which I approached the gospel feeling of the track 'On West Hill'."

The music ranges from lilting calypso to driving Latin American grooves, hypnotic swirling melodies, klezmer, township rhythms and gospel. Only just released, the Hour of Pearl has already been played on BBC national radio and is attracting a buzz in the music press.

Saxophonist Lopez-Real is a professor at London's Guildhall School of Music and he will be offering a workshop in the afternoon to the Woodroffe School Junior Jazz Band who will play a curtain raiser to start the evening off.

The Philip Clouts Quartet play at Bridports Arts Centre, South Street on Friday, October 4<sup>th</sup>. Tickets cost £10 and can be booked online at [www.bridport-arts.com](http://www.bridport-arts.com) or by calling 01308 424204.

◆ The Quartet will also play at the Marine Theatre in Lyme Regis on Saturday, October 19<sup>th</sup> from 8pm. Tickets cost £10 in advance, or £12 on the door, and under 16s £5. For more details visit [www.marinetheatre.org.uk](http://www.marinetheatre.org.uk) or call 01297 442138.

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# Geology Lecture at Dorset County Museum

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This area is the collision zone between Australia and SE Asia and has seen the most significant changes in the distribution of land and sea in the last few million years. 45 million years ago Australia began to move rapidly north. About 20 million years later it finally collided with Indonesia and the collision continues today leading to the creation of a fas-



cinating landscape of high mountains and deep basins

Wallace travelled extensively in the Malay Archipelago with local guides using small boats. Despite the impact of the modern world many parts of the region are still much as Wallace saw them in the 19th century. In his lecture Robert Hall will illustrate some of the places Wallace visited, outline the history of

this geologically dynamic region, and offer some suggestions as to why it may act as a major control of the global climate and contain the most diverse biota on Earth.

This lecture takes place at 7pm on Wednesday, October 9th. Entry is free and the doors are open from 6.30pm. A donation of £3.00 is encouraged to cover costs.



## Southern Tenant Folk Union coming to Dorchester

FOLLOWING the release of their fifth album this January, Southern Tenant Folk Union have embarked on sold out performances across the UK, and are set to appear in Dorchester this October.

The six-piece Scottish roots and folk string collective will play the Centre on Sunday, October 20th, with the show starting at 8pm.

Tickets cost £10/£8, and to book visit [www.dorchesterarts.org.uk](http://www.dorchesterarts.org.uk) or call 01305 266926.

## BRIDPORT ARTS CENTRE TO SCREEN PREVIEW OF CLIO BARNARD'S 'THE SELFISH GIANT'

BRIDPORT Arts Centre and Curzon Cinemas are delighted to announce a special preview screening of Clio Barnard's 'The Selfish Giant' on Thursday, October 17th, as part of the Arts Centre's Open Book Celebrations (16-20 October).

The film plays as part of the Official Competition at the London Film Festival from 9th – 20th October. It had a critically acclaimed launch at the Cannes Film

Festival 2013, winning Europa Cinemas' Best European Film Award after playing as part of Directors' Fortnight. 'The Selfish Giant' follows on from Clio Barnard's BAFTA nominated debut, 'The Arbor'.

'The Selfish Giant' is a contemporary fable about 13 year old Arbor and his best friend Swifty (played by newcomers Conner Chapman and Shaun Thomas). Excluded from school and outsiders in their own neighbourhood, the two boys meet Kitten (Sean Gilder), a local scrapdealer – the Selfish Giant. They begin collecting scrap metal for him using a horse and cart. Swifty has a natural gift with horses while Arbor emulates Kitten – keen to impress him and make some money. Tensions rise between the two friends, as events transpire to move them towards a potentially tragic destiny.

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Lucy Porter brings her show 'Northern Soul' to the Marine Theatre in Lyme Regis this Thursday, September 26th at 8pm.

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# Irish folk legend Andy Irvine begins his new tour in Dorchester

ANDY Irvine is one of the great Irish singers with a voice that gets to the very soul of Ireland. Over a 40-year career he has become a legendary figure, a world music pioneer and icon for traditional music and musicians. Now he is coming to Dorchester Arts Centre on Thursday, October 3rd to

begin an autumn tour of twenty-seven venues across the UK.

Singer, songwriter, multi-instrumentalist, raconteur and founder member of bands such as Planxty and Mozaik, few others can equal his repertoire: Irish traditional songs, dexterous Balkan dance tunes, and a compelling canon of

his own material that defies description. He is renowned for creating an exciting fusion of Irish and world music with a talent for playing the mandolin, bouzouki, banjo, harmonica and hurdy-gurdy amongst many other instruments.

Son of a Scottish father and an Irish mother, having learnt to play the guitar he played in several teenaged skiffle bands and developed a passion for traditional folk and the songs of Woody Guthrie. Moving to Dublin in the 1960's he became involved in the city's folk circuit.

In 1968 he spent a year-and-a-half as a street musician in Bulgaria, Romania and Yugoslavia developing an understanding of eastern European music that has continued to influence his music. He's played with some of the greatest names on the folk circuit and still has a steadfast passion to tour inspired by the mantra of his hero Woody Guthrie: Never Tired of the Road.

Mark Tattersall, Artistic Director of Dorchester Arts Centre said: "We're really honoured to have Andy Irvine beginning his new tour here. He is quite simply one of the greatest folk singer-songwriters of our time, an inspiration and an incredible performer."

Andy's concert is on Thursday, October 3rd at 8pm at Dorchester Arts Centre, School Lane, The Grove, Dorchester, DT1 1XR.

Tickets are £12 / £10 concessions from Dorchester Arts Centre 01305 266926 or Tourist Information Office 267992 or online at: [www.dorchesterarts.org.uk](http://www.dorchesterarts.org.uk)



Andy Irvine

# Sci Fi Sleepover at Dorset County Museum

DIG out your sleeping bags and roll mats – the seventh annual family sleepover at Dorset County Museum is coming soon! It's being held on Saturday 26 October, the first weekend of half term, and this year the theme is Science Fiction.

The sleepover is aimed at children between 7 and 12 and tickets are available now. Activities on the night will include 3-D model-making with the ever-popular Darrell Wakelam, alien masks, rockets and flying saucers. As usual all the materials are provided and there will be plenty of things to take home. In addition there will be a prize for the child wearing the best fancy dress Sci-Fi costume. A display of props and

costumes from your favourite Sci Fi films and TV series will also take centre stage to provide lots of inspiration for the evening's activities.

The first task of the evening is always finding somewhere exciting to sleep – some galleries are kept quieter for younger children while others are suitable for larger groups, just remember to bring a feast to eat later in the evening.

Pippa Brindley, learning manager at the Museum said, "Our Dinosaur sleepover last year had a real buzz about it, but we think this year will be even better as lots of people suggested a Sci Fi theme for this year. We are excited to sell out as usual."

Free tea, coffee and soft drinks will be served all evening, and breakfast for everyone is provided on the Sunday morning. Each child must be accompanied by an adult parent or carer, but each adult can bring up to three children – why not reserve your ticket now to avoid disappointment? You can also buy an 'I survived a sleepover at Dorset County Museum' badge in the Museum Shop.

Tickets cost just £12.50 for children and £10.00 for adults and are available now from the Museum shop. Just pop in, ring 01305 756827 or email [shop@dorsetcountymuseum.org](mailto:shop@dorsetcountymuseum.org) for further information.



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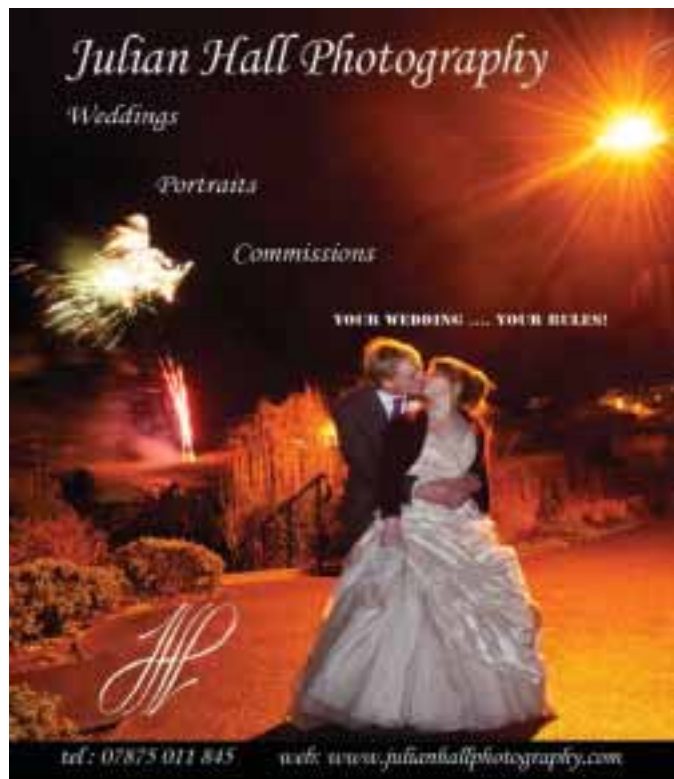
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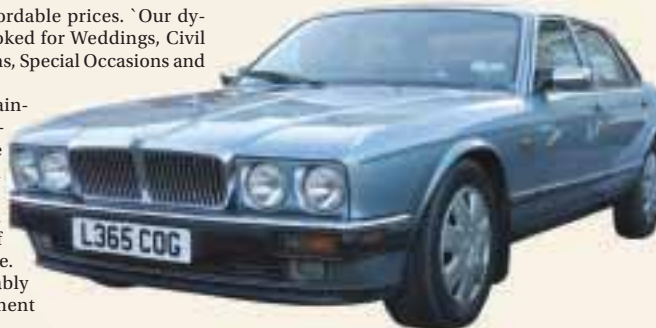
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# SOLDIERS' WIVES

*Coming to three West Dorset venues*

A POWERFUL and moving drama Soldiers' Wives is coming to Dorchester Arts Centre on Friday, October 4th, Bridport Arts Centre on Saturday, October 5th and the Marine Theatre, Lyme Regis on Sunday, October 6th.

*'I wouldn't put it like that, but yes I am married to someone whose job description includes being prepared to die...'*

Catherine Shipton (best known for her role of Duffy in BBC TV's Casualty) plays five army wives coping with life on an English base while their husbands are serving in Afghanistan in this funny, moving and explosive one-woman show by critically acclaimed writer Sarah Daniels.

Five wives living on an army base somewhere in England. Five lives caught up in the humdrum tension of waiting for their men to return whole and unharmed. War does terrible things to people, leaves scars both visible and invisible. A front-line incident ricochets through their lives and each woman is forced to confront hidden and painful truths.

Catherine Shipton brings a selection of female characters to life, cleverly interweaving their stories, to show their daily lives after their men have returned to the Middle East with the ever present but unspoken worry that their job will cost them their lives.

Crafted from real life stories told from visits to barracks Soldiers' Wives has been celebrated on its UK tour for its open, honest, blunt and humorous account of what it is to be an army wife.

The play brings home the reality of war as husbands return with missing limbs, brain damage and horrifying memories of the events witnessed. It's an extraordinary, powerful play that acknowledges the bravery of those men and women who serve on the front line in our names but also questions the real cost of war.

Shipton's performance is gripping, portraying the different characters with complete conviction. Described by the Daily Telegraph as "a quietly assured tour de force" she was nominated for Best Solo Performance at the Edinburgh Fringe 2012.

Sarah Daniels' plays have been performed at theatres including the Royal Court and the National Theatre. Soldiers Wives was originally broadcast on Woman's Hour on BBC Radio 4. This is the Jermyn Street Theatre production directed by Anthony Biggs.

Tickets for Dorchester Arts Centre are available from the box office on 01305 266926 or Tourist Information Office 01305 267992 or online from [www.dorchesterarts.org.uk](http://www.dorchesterarts.org.uk)

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Catherine Shipton



## NEW SEASON OF WORLD AND INDEPENDENT CINEMA FROM BRIDPORT FILM SOCIETY

BRIDPORT Film Society's new season at the Arts Centre begins on Tuesday, October 1st with **Barbara**, a gripping thriller from Germany. The 12 screenings (for members and guests only) are every Tuesday evening fortnightly until March 2014. Film Society evenings are highly sociable, with doors open at 7pm and pre-film bar.

The carefully chosen, balanced programme of contemporary films covers the usual wide variety of themes and cinematic approaches from around the world. This season includes the charming Wadjda, the

first film ever made by a woman in Saudi Arabia, the widely acclaimed Danish drama The Hunt and an uplifting and often funny story from France about an exceptional relationship, Untouchable.

Visit the website [www.bridportfilmsociety.co.uk](http://www.bridportfilmsociety.co.uk) for further details of the 2013-14 programme and how to become a member (£30 for the season and excellent value for money at £2.50 a film). You can see and join in online comments on the Facebook page. Brochures are available at the Arts Centre and you can phone 07770 261348.

## Full schedule of films for 2013/14 season:

- 01/10 **Barbara**
- 15/10 **Marina: The Artist is Present**
- 29/10 **The Hunt**
- 12/11 **The Pool**
- 26/11 **5 Broken Cameras**
- 10/12 **Searching for Sugarman**  
(followed by Christmas social)
- 14/01 **Tabu**
- 28/01 **I Wish**
- 11/02 **Untouchable**
- 25/02 **Wajda**
- 11/03 **No**
- 25/03 **Village at the End of the World** (followed by AGM)

**DORCHESTER ARTS CENTRE Friday 4 October, 8pm**

Box Office: 01305 266926/ TIC 267992 [www.dorchesterarts.org.uk](http://www.dorchesterarts.org.uk)

**BRIDPORT ARTS CENTRE Saturday 5 October, 7.30pm**

Box Office: 01308 424204 [www.bridport-arts.com](http://www.bridport-arts.com)

**THE MARINE THEATRE Sunday 6 October 7.30pm**

Box Office: 01297 442138 [www.marinetheatre.com](http://www.marinetheatre.com)



## Tickets selling fast for Weymouth's October Beer Festival

TICKETS are selling fast for the Campaign for Real Ale's [CAMRA] autumn beer festival in under three weeks time, on Friday 4th and Saturday, October 5th - where 4752 pints of real ale from 66 different South West breweries will be on sale - plus around 15 casks of cider and perry. CAMRA nationally is celebrating reaching 150,000 members, the most successful consumer organisation in Europe.

"The Saturday lunch session is the best seller at the moment, with less than 100 tickets left across all outlets," says CAMRA West Dorset Chairman Dave Harris. "Friday Lunch's session is selling much more quickly this year and both evening sessions are selling well, with Friday evening looking likely to sell out first."

There are two sessions each day, 11am to 3pm and 6pm to 11pm on Friday and Saturday October 4th and 5th. Tickets cost £5 for Fri-

day and Saturday evening, £4 for Saturday lunchtime and £3 for Friday lunchtime. They are being sold by West Dorset CAMRA online at [www.camrawdorset.org.uk/Octoberfest.htm](http://www.camrawdorset.org.uk/Octoberfest.htm) or from The Boot and The Globe pubs in Weymouth, the Royal Portland Arms and The George Inn on Portland and the Blue Rattle at Dorchester. In addition, Weymouth Pavilion 01305 783225 has a supply, as has CAMRA West Dorset Chairman Dave Harris at 01305 772286.

West Dorset CAMRA's October beer festival was held for eight years at Brewer's Quay, but closure of the Hope Square attraction in early 2011 forced a move. Moving to the Ocean Room in 2011 meant more real ale drinkers could be accommodated and last year some 1300 tickets were sold for the four session event, spread over two days.

Some 66 casks of real ale have

been ordered, amounting to 4752 pints of beer on tap from the

South West- including 13 from Dorset, 15 from Somerset, ten from Cornwall, nine from Wiltshire, 13 from Devon, three from Bristol and three surprises!

The thatched Blue Anchor brewpub in Helston, Cornwall, is one of the country's oldest, once a monk's rest house and producing its own distinctive beers since the 15th century. They are sending their celebrated Spingo Special to Weymouth, a dark fruity brew with peppery hops, rarely drunk outside Cornwall.

Furthest travelled will be Trink Golden Ale from the Penance Brewery, almost at Lands End. From the Country Life brewery at Bideford comes Devonshire Piglet and near Sidmouth, Branscombe Vale Mild is produced, a rare beer style for Devon. One of the strongest ales in the room will be Full Bore, a barley wine made by Hunters at Ipplepen, near Newton Abbot.

Dorset is well represented, led by Gillingham CAMRA member Paul Smith and his Small Paul's Chocolate Porter- enriched with chocolate malt and extra chocolate- balanced by some late hop-piness from Challenger hops.

Winning CAMRA Beer of the Festival at Dorchester in February, it will certainly be a contender for the Weymouth title. Two brand new Dorset microbreweries have been invited- the Bournemouth Brewery, oddly enough based in Poole, brings Wessex Wobble Bitter and the even newer King Alfred brewery at Bourton, hard against the Somerset frontier, sends Saxon Gold. Town Mill's blackcurrant Black Ven dark ale will arrive from Lyme Regis, as will Raven Porter from Corfe Castle. Palmer's award winning Tally Ho! is lovingly made at their thatched brewery in Bridport and will be yet another contender for the Beer of the Festival title.

Cider lovers will have fifteen ciders and perries to try. The prizewinning Gwyn y Ddraig Welsh cider and perry makers are providing Two Trees perry and Pyder, an unusual combination of cider and perry. Other perries are from Hampshire and Purbeck. Ciders include the local Pitfield Thunderbolt, a single variety Purbeck Dabinett and Somerset vintage - stored in oak barrels for flavour - plus an interesting single variety, Porter's Perfection.

## The Lumberjacks tour comes to Bridport

STEWART Francis, Craig Campbell and Glenn Wool - the UK's favourite Canadian comedians - will each perform a solo show as a rotating triple bill, as part of the hugely successful touring stand-up comedy tour 'The Lumberjacks'.

Following their acclaimed run at the Edinburgh Festival last year, The Lumberjacks hit the road in April this year and have been playing to packed theatres and garnering fantastic reviews

up and down the UK. All of these Canucks perform their own set, side-by-side, on their debut UK tour of The Lumberjacks.

Stewart, Craig and Glenn are at the top of their comedy game right now. They each have their refreshingly contrasting styles, but you can see them come together and perform their own uniquely individual material on the same night. With something here for everyone guaranteed, the audience is in for an eclectic and exciting show.

The trio will perform at Bridport's Electric Palace on Friday, September 27th. Doors open at 7.30pm for 8pm start.

Tickets for the show cost £17 and are available online at [www.electricelectricpalace.org.uk](http://www.electricelectricpalace.org.uk) or from Bridport TIC (01308 424901)



Glenn Wool, Stewart Francis and Craig Campbell

## An evening with the humour of Bob Newhart and Tom Lehrer

WELL-KNOWN jazz and rock'n'roll piano/vocalist Peter Gill, and highly regarded fringe actor Andrew Meller, have joined forces to present a fabulous new, 90-minute show dedicated to the satirical humour of American comic legends Bob Newhart and Tom Lehrer.

Origination from the 1950s and 1960s, audiences will

once again be rolling around with laughter as they are reminded of Newhart's *Driving Instructor*, *Introducing Tobacco to Civilisation* and *The Cruise of the U.S.S. Codfish* and Lehrer's

sharp-witted songs *Poisoning Pigeons in the Park*, *I Got It From Agnes* and *The Masochism Tango*.

This is a wonderfully entertaining and light-hearted evening of wit suitable for those with at least a modicum of a sense of humour.

'An evening with the humour of Bob

Newhart & Tom Lehrer' will take place at the Corn Exchange Theatre, Dorchester on Friday, October 11th from 7.30pm. Tickets (unreserved) cost £13.50 from TIC Dorchester (01305 267992), TIC Bridport (01308 424901) or the Hotline on 01392 411194.



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# Bowjangles on the Box

*Why stay in to watch TV, when you can go out to watch TV?!*

FOLLOWING huge demand, accomplished string quartet Bowjangles are returning to Dorset this October after the success of their touring show 'Bowlympics' last summer. This autumn, the group present a comprehensive TV listing like none you'll have ever experienced!

Bowjangles on the Box! follows a schedule for the BJBC (Bowjangles Broadcasting Corporation), including morning TV, news, weather and soap opera, with the group performing all the necessary roles, whilst of course playing their instruments to a jaw-droppingly high level, in a clever, unique, all singing, all dancing take on the cultural phenomenon that is TV.

The exceptionally talented quartet are popular wherever they go, combining fiery musicianship with energetic dance moves, vaudeville comedy and four-part harmony singing in a dazzling stage show,

which guarantees to leave audiences spellbound. Four equally strong personalities, all quirky in their own unique ways, present an incredible and eccentric performance unlike any you have ever seen before. A favourite at festivals and theatres the world over, Bowjangles have that rare appeal to all ages and walks of life. You just won't believe what this four piece are capable of! So why stay home to watch TV, when you can go out to watch TV this autumn?

Bowjangles will perform at Corfe Castle Village Hall (01929 480483) on Thursday, October 10th at 7.30pm; West Lulworth Village Hall (01929 400492) on Friday, October 11th at 7.30pm; Charlton Down Village Hall (01305 251099) on Saturday, October 12th at 7.30pm; and Milborne St Andrew Village Hall (01258 837371) on Sunday, October 13th at 7.30pm.



TAKE A BOW | Bowjangles performing 'Bowlympics' last year



MASTERS OF THEIR CRAFT | The Blues Band

## The Blues Band bring their best to Bridport

IF MUSIC matures like fine wine, 1979 was a vintage year. That's when Paul Jones and Tom McGuinness, from the hugely successful Manfred Mann, returned to their first love, the Blues.

They imagined their 'back to the roots' project, The Blues Band, would simply earn some beer money. How wrong they were – the public were ready and waiting. Talent goes to talent. Into the ranks came slide guitar ace and superb vocalist Dave Kelly, leg-

endary ex-John Mayall drummer Hughie Flint, (replaced in 1982 by the renowned Rob Townsend of Family), with solid bass provided by Gary Fletcher.

The Blues Band's new studio album, Few Short Lines amply demonstrates the veneration of their peers. Bob Dylan's keyboard accomplice Al Kooper plays on six tracks, Bruce Springsteen's comrade Southside Johnny provides harmonica and vocals, all lavishly topped off by Paul Jones raun-

chily duetting with Linda Lewis, plus Dave Kelly's pairing with Scotland's soul queen, Maggie Bell.

The Blues Band play at Bridport's Electric Palace on Thursday, October 10th. Doors open 7pm, with music from 8pm.

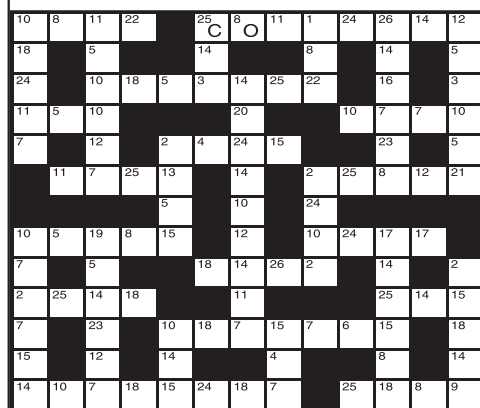
Tickets cost £19.50 + bf advance, or £21 on door and are available by visiting the website [www.electricpalace.org.uk](http://www.electricpalace.org.uk) or by calling 01308 424901.

## Brain Gym

No.240

### Codeword

Each number in the grid represents a different letter of the alphabet and every letter of the alphabet is used. Use the given letter(s) to the right of the main grid to start you off.



LAST WEEK'S SOLUTION:

1	S	D	B	K	G	P	N	O	A	M	V	Q	F
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## Double Crossword

Choose either quick or cryptic clues - both fit the same grid.

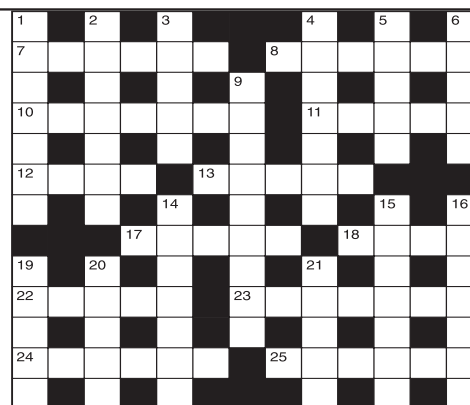
### Cryptic Clues:

#### Across

7. A line used in malaria treatment (6)
8. Make a choice in this election (6)
10. In my view, a vegetable with very good stuffing (7)
11. A step in the making of dough (5)
12. Give out when it's time to come back (4)
13. An unlicensed receiver (5)
17. Leaves with all debts settled (5)
18. Fairy required, some experience necessary (4)
22. If all plants were this, there would be no great variety (5)
23. Reputation for enjoying poor health? (3-4)
24. He knew where to draw the line (6)
25. High jinks with a saucy flavour? (6)

#### Down

1. Role man has created as a social worker (7)
2. Tract of the brave New World (7)
3. Odd trio holds a proportion (5)
4. A particular deference (7)
5. Maybe the present state of a nervous person (5)
6. To come up before her is not the same (5)
9. Centaur in doubtful form (9)
14. Ruffian out to provide popular entertainment (3,4)
15. Slackened and became loose in a rush (7)
16. Grant permission to break silence (7)
19. Did little after I'd made the running (5)
20. Give birth to a plot (5)
21. Amphibious cart? (5)



### Quick Clues:

#### Across

7. Skilled (6)
8. Acme (6)
10. Felling (7)
11. Clear (5)
12. Rational (4)
13. Sham (5)
17. Avidity (5)
18. Couple (4)
22. Object (5)
23. Decisive (7)
24. Outcome (6)
25. Venerate (6)

#### Down

1. Opposite (7)
2. Nominate (7)
3. Exhaust (5)
4. Fervent (7)
5. Nip (5)
6. Obscurity (5)
9. Guiltlessness (9)
14. Squirm (7)
15. Sailor (7)
16. Small truck (7)
19. Narrative (5)
20. Foremost (5)
21. Odd (5)

## Sudoku

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Fill in the grid below so that every column, every row and each of the 3x3 boxes contains all the digits from 1 to 9.

### LAST WEEK'S SOLUTIONS >

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5	2	1	9	8	6	3	4	7
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3	9	6	4	7	5	8	1	2

LAST WEEK'S CROSSWORD SOLUTIONS: CRYPTIC - Across: 1 Wince; 4 Eyewash; 8 Aground; 9 Ether; 10 Draw; 11 Organist; 13 Arum; 14 Loft; 16 Uprooted; 17 Ache; 20 Nadir; 21 Spiders; 22 Wreaths; 23 Eaten. Down: 1 What do you know; 2 Nurse; 3 Etui; 4 Endure; 5 Elevator; 6 Altheist; 7 Horatio Nelson; 12 Autoerect; 13 Abridge; 15 Census; 18 Chest; 19 Hive. QUICK - Across: 1 Egret; 4 Beneath; 8 Banquet; 9 Repel; 10 Lees; 11 Pleasure; 13 Reel; 14 Lone; 16 Habitual; 17 Sore; 20 Erupt; 21 Coronet; 22 Toddler; 23 Error. Down: 1 Embellishment; 2 Range; 3 Tour; 4 Battle; 5 Narrator; 6 Ampoule; 7 Helter-skelter; 12 Teetotal; 13 Rebound; 15 Lancer; 18 Owner; 19 Urge.

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## View 2 Diary Dates

## UNTIL SUNDAY NOVEMBER 3RD

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## WEDNESDAY SEPTEMBER 25TH

**LYME REGIS:** Talk 'Abbotsbury Gardens' - Past, Present and Future by Steve Griffith - Curator of Abbotsbury Gardens. At Uplyme Village Hall from 7.30pm. Members free, non Members £2. For more details call 01297 444034 or visit www.ulrhs.wordpress.com. Organised by Uplyme and Lyme Regis Horticultural Society

**DORCHESTER:** Dorset County Museum Music Society will hold a concert in the Museum at 7.30p.m. for the start of their 40th concert season. RED PRIEST will present "Carnival of the Seasons" Stunning arrangements of Vivaldi's Four Seasons concertos, plus music by Bach, Corelli, Biber and Purcell. (Season Ticket: £55.) Individual concert tickets for this concert £15. (Juniors and students £5 or £5 for a season ticket) Tickets available from the Dorset County Museum.

## THURSDAY SEPTEMBER 26TH

**BRIDPORT:** Coffee & Chat along with bringing a family photo to Beach & Barnicott upstairs at 2.30pm. Located in Bridport. Organised by 50 Plus Circle of Friends. An easy and comfortable way of meeting and making new friends. Please call Jennifer at 01308 538395 for more info.

## FRIDAY SEPTEMBER 27TH

**LYME REGIS:** Lyme Bay Photographic Club Competition: Abstract, Presentation: What is Creative Photography. At Woodmead Halls from 7.30pm.

**BRIDPORT:** Smith & Smith, the gentlemen's outfitters on West Street, are holding their annual coffee morning in aid of Macmillan Cancer Support. As well as coffee and cake they will have a grand draw with lots of prizes donated by their suppliers, such as a leather handbag, shirts, socks, jewellery boxes, cufflinks and scarves. Join in the fun from 10am - 12noon.

**BRIDPORT:** Canasta at 1pm Also Rummikub and Scrabble groups. Please call 50 Plus Circle of Friends at 01308 538395 for any more information

**SWYRE:** Coffee Morning at The Bull Inn from 10am, in aid of Macmillan. Coffee and homemade cakes available. All donations of cakes and raffle prizes gratefully received. Gareth from the Chocolatier Cafe will also be giving a demonstration from 10am. Everyone welcome.

## SATURDAY SEPTEMBER 28TH

**LYME REGIS:** Coffee Morning in aid of Lyme Regis Christmas Lights at the Pilot Boat Inn at 10.00am.

**CHARMOUTH:** Harvest Auction in aid of the Charmouth Senior Citizens Christmas Lunch Fund at The George, 9pm start. Donations of produce, cakes, jams etc, would also be welcomed at the George on the day of the auction or contact Carol on 01297 560403.

**ABBOTSBURY:** Table Top Sale at Strangways Village Hall. Doors 10.30am - 3.30pm. Refreshments will be served. If anyone would like to book a table, please contact Heather Stevens on 01305 871629.

**BROADWINDSOR:** Pamper and Therapy Day at Broadwindsor Primary School from 10am-3pm.

**BRIDPORT:** Silent Disco in aid of Cancer Research UK at Bridport Arts Centre from 8pm-1am. Organised by Woodroffe School A-level students. Tickets £7 on the door.

**BRIDPORT:** Harvest Supper. The Local Exchange Trading System invites you to come & join us at St. Mary's Hall, South Street from 6pm to 8pm. Please bring food to share. For more details visit www.swdorsetlets.org.uk

**BOTHENHAMPTON:** A Musical Evening at Holy Trinity Church. Performance from St Swithun's Band, Georgina Peacock (soprano) and Paul Cheater (organ). £6 on the door, £3 students. Includes refreshments.

**BRIDPORT:** Jams, Cakes, Chutneys and Bric-a-brac at Chancery House Day Centre from 9am-12noon.

**UPLYME:** Jumble Sale at the village hall from 2pm. 40p entry. In aid of 1st Lym Valley Scout Group. For more details call 01297 678351.

**LITTON CHENEY:** Action Party - calling for volunteers to help in the Discovery Area at Thorners School to help with weeding, digging and planting with this community space. Meet from 10.30am - 4pm. (bring a mug and biscuits).

## SUNDAY SEPTEMBER 29TH

**BRIDPORT:** Antiques and Vintage Sunday. Enjoy the atmosphere, browse and shop from 10am, at all the Antique Shops, with extra stalls outside, plus The Red Brick Café in the Art & Vintage Quarter on the St Michael's Trading Estate.

**LYME REGIS:** Organ recital in the Parish Church of St Michael the Archangel at 3.30pm. Barry Ferguson (formerly organist of Rochester Cathedral) plays music by Parry, Stanford, Howells, Douglas Fox and Ferguson. Retiring collection. For more details call 01297 445709.

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Insidious: Chapter 2 <sup>15</sup>

Daily: 18.30, 21.00

R.I.P.D. <sup>12A</sup>

Daily: 16.30, 18.50, 21.10

The Call <sup>15</sup>

Daily: 21.15

About Time <sup>12A</sup>

Daily: 14.20, 17.20, 20.15

Justin and the Knights of Valour <sup>PG</sup>

Fri, Mon-Thu: 16.10

Sat &amp; Sun: 11.30, 13.50, 16.10

White House Down <sup>12A</sup>

Daily: 14.30, 17.30, 20.30

Despicable Me 2 <sup>U</sup>

Sat &amp; Sun: 12.20

Runner Runner <sup>15</sup>

Daily: 14.15, 16.40, 19.00, 20.35

plus Sat &amp; Sun: 11.40am

Prisoners <sup>15</sup>

Daily: 16.20, 19.45

plus Sat &amp; Sun: 12.50

Girl Most Likely <sup>12A</sup>

Daily: 15.40, 18.10, 20.40

Elysium <sup>15</sup>

Fri, Mon-Thu: 13.50

Brave <sup>15</sup>

Sat: 10.40, 11.15am

Epic <sup>U</sup>

Sat: 10.30am

Percy Jackson: Sea of Monsters <sup>12A</sup>

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A NEW York socialite, deeply troubled and in denial, arrives in San Francisco to impose upon her sister. She looks a million, but isn't bringing money, peace, or love...

Stars Cate Blanchett, Alec Baldwin and Peter Sarsgaard.

RUNNER RUNNER <sup>15</sup>

WHEN a poor college student who cracks an online poker game goes bust, he arranges a face-to-face with the man he thinks cheated him, a sly offshore entrepreneur.

Stars Ben Affleck, Justin Timberlake and Gemma Arterton.

PRISONERS <sup>15</sup>

WHEN Keller Dover's daughter and her friend go missing, he takes matters into his own hands as the police pursue multiple leads and the pressure mounts. But just how far will this desperate father go to protect his family?

Stars Hugh Jackman, Jake Gyllenhaal and Viola Davis.

GIRL MOST LIKELY <sup>12A</sup>

A FAILED New York playwright awkwardly navigates the transition from Next Big Thing to Last Year's News.

Stars Kristen Wiig, Annette Bening and Matt Dillon.



## View 2 Diary Dates

**BRIDPORT:** Taunton Sinfonietta performing 'Larking About' at Bridport Arts Centre at 3pm. Featuring music by Vaughan Williams, Mozart and more. For more details call 01308 424204.

## MONDAY SEPTEMBER 30TH

**BRIDPORT:** Bridport Folk Dancing Club at 7.30-9.30 pm in the WI Hall, North Street. Enjoy folk dancing mainly in the English tradition from Playford-style to modern-day compositions at Bridport's long-established weekly club, with guest and club callers, recorded music and occasional live bands. No partner or previous experience required. Admission £2. Contact Mike on 01308 863 552 or Tim on 01308 423 382.

**BRIDPORT:** Gardens Of The National Trust In South West England, West Of Stourhead. Illustrated talk by Philip Gamble, Horticulturist & Lecturer. At Bridport United Church Hall, East St, Bridport 7.30pm. Presented by the Golden Cap Centre of the National Trust. Non-members welcome. Admission £3. Includes tea or coffee and biscuits.

## TUESDAY OCTOBER 1st

**LYME REGIS:** Lyme Regis Art Society. There will be a demonstration on painting a seascape in oils by local artist David Beckers at Woodmead Halls, 2 - 4 p.m. Non-members welcome for admission of £5. Members and those wishing to join are reminded that the annual subscription of £22 can be paid at this meeting. Call Sheila on 01297 442166 for more information.

## THURSDAY OCTOBER 3RD

**BRIDPORT:** Bridport Electronic Organ Club at United Church Hall, East Street from 7.30pm, with guest Paul Roberts. Admission £8, members £7, visitors welcome.

**BRIDPORT:** Coffee & Chat with Birthday Celebrations at Beach & Barnicott at 2.30pm. Please call 50 Plus Circle of Friends at 01308 538395 for any more information

**WEYMOUTH:** "The Bee Friendly Garden", an illustrated talk by Neil Lovesey at St. Nicholas Primary School, Dorchester Road, Broadway, Weymouth starting at 7.30pm. Organised by Broadway Upwey & District Horticultural Society. For more details call 01305 814887.

## SATURDAY OCTOBER 5TH

**UPLYME:** Ballroom, Latin and some Sequence Dancing from 8pm-10.30pm. At Uplyme Village Hall. £4.50 in aid of Hall funds. For more details call 01297 442439.

**BRIDPORT:** Bridport Ceilidhs present Jigs for Gigs with caller Jane Thomas at St Mary's Church House Hall, South Street at 7.30 (doors open 7.15) - 11.00pm.

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**BRIDPORT:** Lunch at The Bull, East St at 12.30pm. Must have booking. Followed by Coffee & Chat at Beach & Barnicott at 2.30pm. Please call 50 Plus Circle of Friends on 01308 538395 for any more information.

**WOTTON FITZPAINE:** Iranian Feast at Wootton Fitzpaine Village Hall. Bar and chat at 7pm show runs 7.30pm-9pm, with a small taster for all. Evening will finish at 9.30pm. Tickets are £8 (U16:£6) from the "Help Yourself Box Office" at the Charmouth Practice. 01297 560948 for details. We hope to see you there!

## FRIDAY OCTOBER 11TH

**LYME REGIS:** Lyme Bay Photographic meeting. Competition: Abandoned/ Presentation on Birds and Nature. At Woodmead Halls from 7.30pm.

## SATURDAY OCTOBER 12TH

**DORCHESTER:** Dorchester and District Bible Society Action Group Autumn Coffee Morning and Sale at the United Church Hall, South Street from 9.45am - 11.45am. Donations of books, CDs, bric-a-brac etc gratefully received. For more details call 01300 341996.

## SUNDAY OCTOBER 13TH

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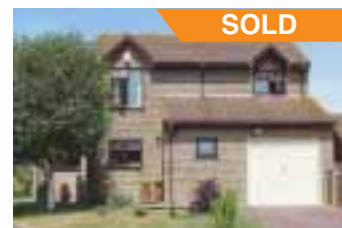


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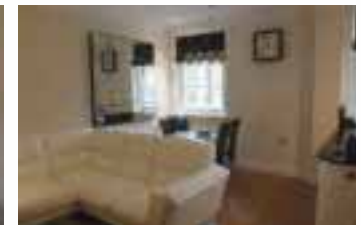


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## Caterham plans its place in global car market

"WE may be a small voice now, but we're on our way to engineering a decent set of lungs," said Tony Fernandes, Caterham Group Co-Chairman, as he outlined his ambitions for Caterham Cars ahead of the Singapore Grand Prix (Friday 20th September). Speaking at the launch of Caterham's first new ultra-performance model, the AeroSeven Concept, Fernandes was sharing his vision for the brand.

"Caterham will show itself to be a progressive, open and entrepreneurially powered car brand that will deliver and surprise in equal measure.

"It has been a British institution for the last 40 years, and automotive secret in many ways, but in the very near future, the Caterham name will sit proudly on crossovers, city cars as well as a range of sportscars for everyone," he added.

In the two years since Fernandes and Caterham Group Co-Chairman and business partner, Dato' Kamarudin Meranun, bought Caterham Cars, the brand has expanded to include a growing engineering arm in Caterham Technology & Innovation, a specialist composites materials consultancy, Caterham Composites and the Oxfordshire, England based, Caterham F1 Team and Caterham Racing GP2 team.

Tony Fernandes confirmed that whilst the brand will include mainstream crossovers and small cars, the intention is to also extend its 'sporting heartbeat' with a range of accessible sportscars for the lifestyle buyer to the thrill-seeker; a journey it has begun with the new AeroSeven Concept.

Asia will be a key focus for Caterham as it develops a product range to meet the demands of a market both Fernandes and Kamarudin know extremely well.

"Twelve years ago, we were told our plans for AirAsia could not work," said Fernandes. "Today, AirAsia is the world's most profitable airline with a growing fleet of over 120 planes servicing 160 routes across 80 cities in 18 countries, carrying over 25m people annually. As proud winner of the title "World's Best Low Cost Airline" for the past five years, we're fulfilling our dream that 'everyone can fly'."

Fernandes says that the same passion to succeed, and learn from within, is being applied to building the Caterham Cars brand.

"The Joint Venture with Renault to produce an all-new sportscar for both the Alpine and Caterham brands demonstrates our clear intent on doing this right, doing it sensibly, but above all, doing it the Caterham way," he added.

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At this stage, Fernandes is unwilling to be drawn on the number of cars Caterham is aiming to sell, explaining: "We're focused on developing the right products; with the right retail experience, in the right markets, at the right time. The sales will then come."

The arrival of the AeroSeven Concept brings the number of new models brought to market by Caterham since the turn of the year to four.

After years of underinvestment to its heritage product, the Seven, Caterham launched the 485 to satisfy pent up demand for a higher performance variant across Europe, a new flagship 620R to once again remind every supercar brand that there is nothing to equal the sensation of driving a Seven, and finally, for the Global market, the entry-level, Suzuki powered 165.



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## Porsche lifts the lid on the new 911 Turbo Cabriolet Models

**THE** dynamic capabilities of the new 911 Turbo models combined with the driving pleasure offered by an open-top sports car: this is the compelling formula behind two new flagship 911 Cabriolet models, the Turbo and Turbo S. Some 50 years after the 911 first appeared and to coincide with the 40th anniversary of the 911 Turbo, Cabriolet versions of this iconic model are making their global debut. The pair will be unveiled to the public for the first time at the Auto Show in Los Angeles on 20 November.

The 911 Turbo Cabriolet and 911 Turbo S Cabriolet deliver the same blend of dynamism, performance and efficiency offered by the Coupé model unveiled just a few months ago. The turbocharged 3.8-litre six-cylinder engine delivers 520 hp (383 kW) in the open-top 911 Turbo and 560 hp (412 kW) in the S model. The cars accelerate from zero to 100 km/h (62 mph) in 3.5 and 3.2 seconds respectively, reaching a top speed of up to 197 mph. And all this while achieving fuel consumption figures not typically associated with such high performance: both new models return 28.5 mpg on the New European Driving Cycle (NEDC), with CO<sub>2</sub> emissions of 231 g/km. When compared against their respective predecessors, the new cars deliver 30 hp more power and are 0.2 seconds faster in terms of 0 to 62 mph acceleration. They are also up to 15% more efficient.

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The driving dynamics offered by the two new top-of-the-range Cabriolet models is something that cannot be expressed in simple figures. Boasting PDK dual-clutch transmission as standard and the new PTM all-wheel drive, as well as featuring rear-axle steering and active aerodynamics, the open-top 911 Turbo models are now also establishing leading Porsche technology in the open-top super sports car segment. While the rear-axle steering has an immensely beneficial impact on handling for the two new models – both on the racetrack and during everyday use – the active aerodynamics can be tuned to offer optimum effi-

ciency or driving dynamics at the touch of a button, depending on the driver's wishes.

More than ever before, both of these new top-of-the-range models also make a clear visual statement about their performance. The characteristic, widely flared rear wings of the new 911 Turbo generation are 28 mm wider than those of the 911 Carrera 4 models – a virtually level surface of just over a hand's width extends out from the C-pillar to the outer edge of the vehicle. The impressive effect of this width is accentuated still further when the top is down.

Another eye-catching feature of the 911 Turbo Cabriolet is the exclusive Porsche panel bow top

with its lightweight magnesium frame. This innovative technology enables the Coupé-like arch to the roof to be achieved when the top is closed. This arch, which also offers advantages in terms of aerodynamics, is not possible using conventional construction techniques. As with predecessor models, the roof opens and closes in around 13 seconds, at speeds of up to 50 km/h (34 mph).

### Premium materials inside

The interior of the new Cabriolet models follows that of the 911 Turbo Coupé. The S-model boasts a particularly extensive range of furnishings, with features including an exclusive interior in Black/Carrera Red and adaptive Sport Seat Plus seats with 18-way adjustment and memory. In addition, the seat backrests are leather-trimmed with double cap seams, and various elements sport a carbon look. As with the predecessor models, the Bose sound system is fitted as standard – and, for the first time, a Burmester system is also available on request. What's more, the radar-controlled adaptive Cruise Control system, camera-based road sign and speed limit recognition function and reversing camera are also available as options.

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## Magpies and Terras news

WITH STUART BROOM

# Danny leads the way as Magpies triumph

### DORCHESTER TOWN 2 CHELMSFORD CITY 0

*Skrill South – att: 357*

DORCHESTER Town finally got their first win of the season at the eighth time of asking when goals from Danny Way and Nick Crittenden gave them victory over fellow strugglers Chelmsford City at The Avenue Stadium on Saturday.

The win still leaves them bottom of the Skrill South but they are now only one point behind Gosport Borough and more importantly have that first victory under their belt.

Alan Walker-Harris who was reinstated in goal after his one match suspension in place of Tim Sanderson continued his good form along with central defender Aaron Pugh, who was named man of the match, as the Magpies kept their first clean sheet of the season, whilst Crittenden once again ran midfield.

As their last home game when they scored in 45 seconds Dorchester started with a bang, and loanee Aristede Bassele almost did likewise but fired straight at City keeper Carl Pentney.

Chelmsford responded immediately and former Magpie Charlie Henry's 25-yard half-volley had Walker-Harris diving to superbly turn it round the post.

After Chelmsford wasted a free-kick after Bagasan Graham was needlessly tripped just outside the box, Henry forced Walker-Harris into blocking another fine shot but Rob Edmans headed the rebound over the top.

Dorchester took the lead on 14 minutes when 18-year-old Way scored his first senior goal for the club when he slotted the ball past Pentney after Crittenden's cross.

The Clarets replied with Henry thwarted by Danny Green's head and

Pugh blocking Tom Derry's effort.

Walker-Harris was called upon two minutes after the break to keep the Magpies ahead when City skipper Mark Hughes chested the ball down before drilling in a thunderous shot - but the gloveman produced an incredible save to turn the ball behind for a corner.

### record breaking

Crittenden almost immediately fired over the top when put through before skipper Mark Jermyn playing a record-breaking 586th appearance for the county town almost crowned the occasion with a shot that just went wide of the upright.

Jake Twyford then had the opportunity to score on his senior debut when he substituted for Way, but when Crittenden picked up Pentney's poor clearance, he fired over the bar.

Alongside Pugh and Walker-Harris, Green, Neil Martin and Steve Walker

worked their socks off to keep Chelmsford from getting back on terms.

They were rewarded in the last minute of added time when Crittenden sealed the points with an angled shot after being picked out by Green.

## Terras get back to winning ways

### Weymouth 2 AFC Totton 1

*Calor Premier – att: 459 (Sept 17th)*

WEYMOUTH without a victory in their last four league games got back to winning ways last week with a slim 2-1 victory over AFC Totton although the margin could have been greater. The Terras included new signing midfielder Dave Allen from Bashley.

After a tentative start they scored twice within two minutes midway through the first-half; an unmarked Sam Poole heading home Scott

Walker's corner from eight yards for the first before Stewart Yetton had the easiest of chances following a mistake by Totton keeper Joe McCormack.

He failed to tip Walker's cross over the crossbar as he backpedalled and the ball dropped on the line allowing Yetton the easiest of tap-ins.

However, Weymouth failed to concentrate when Liam Hibberd fired in a low 35-yard shot that beat Jason Matthews and struck his left hand post.

The ball rebounded to Alex Moth 18 yards who thundered his shot home before four defenders around him had time to react.

Weymouth might have added to their lead after the interval with Poole having a header cleared off the line and Ben Joyce striking the woodwork twice, but there was no further scoring.

## Dorset Football League tables

Senior Division	P	GD	Pts
Sturm Marshall.....	3	8	9
Chickerell Utd.....	3	8	9
Corfe Mullen Utd.....	2	8	6
Witchampton Utd.....	3	3	5
South Cheriton.....	0	4	0
Blandford Utd Res.....	-1	4	0
Gillingham Res.....	-2	4	0
Kingston Lacy.....	-3	4	0
Upwey & Broadwey...2	0	3	0
Piddletrenthide Utd...3	-3	3	0
Westland Sports.....	-2	1	0
Portland Utd Res.....	2	4	1
Sturm Newton Utd.....	-3	0	0
Okeford Utd.....	-9	0	0

Division One	P	GD	Pts
Dorchester Sports.....	3	8	7
Kangaroos.....	2	6	6
Swanage & H Res.....	3	3	6
Weymouth Spart.....	0	6	0
Milborne Sports.....	3	6	4
Poole Borough Res.....	3	0	4
Bridport 3rds.....	0	4	0
AFC Cobham.....	-2	4	0
Poundbury Rovers.....	0	3	0
Stourpaine.....	-4	1	0
Wincanton Res.....	-7	1	0
Balti House.....	-2	0	0
Bere Regis.....	-8	0	0

Division Two	P	GD	Pts
Lytchett RT.....	3	12	9
Portesham Utd.....	3	6	9
Portland Town.....	11	7	0
Redlands FC.....	4	7	0
Wyke Regis Sc.....	0	6	0
Parley Sports Res.....	5	4	0
Corfe Castle.....	3	0	4
Piddlehinton Utd.....	-1	4	0
Shaftesbury Res.....	-3	4	0
Gillingham Town A.....	-2	3	0
Chickerell Utd Res.....	-7	3	0
Wareham Res.....	-6	0	0
Sturm Newt Utd Res.....	-7	0	0
Ship Inn, Wool.....	-12	0	0

Division Three	P	GD	Pts
Broadstone.....	3	17	6
Stickland Utd.....	3	5	9
AFC Blandford.....	2	5	6
Stalbridge.....	3	6	0
Mere Town Res.....	3	4	4
Handley Sports.....	3	1	4
Maiden Newt & C.....	-3	4	0
Donhead Utd.....	-2	1	3
Sturm Marshall Res.....	-6	1	0
Henstridge Utd.....	-3	0	0
Bere Regis Res.....	-7	0	0
Portland Town Res.....	-15	0	0

Division Four	P	GD	Pts
Milborne Sports Res.....	2	5	6
Puddletown.....	2	4	6
Portland Town A.....	1	6	0
Pimperne SS.....	1	4	0
Weym'th Spart Res.....	2	1	4
UFC Poundbury.....	2	3	3
Cranborne Res.....	2	1	3
AFC Cobham Res.....	1	3	0
Owermoigne.....	-1	3	0
Corfe Mullen Res.....	-2	1	0
Kangaroos Res.....	-4	1	0
South Cheriton Res.....	-10	0	0

Division Five	P	GD	Pts
Lytchett RT Youth.....	3	12	9
Broadstone Res.....	3	8	9
Wool & Winfrith.....	2	5	6
Portland Utd Youth.....	3	4	6
Handley Sports Res.....	2	1	4
Marnhull.....	3	5	3
Corfe Castle Res.....	-3	3	0
Piddletrenthide Res.....	-3	5	3
Okeford Utd Res.....	-5	1	0
Maiden Newton Res.....	-7	0	0
Portland Town B.....	-15	0	0

## Rugby news

# Churchill makes instant impact for Puddletown

### Frome III 5 Puddletown 10

DEBUTANT John Churchill made an instant impact for Puddletown, scoring and unconverted try with his first touch of the ball.

Playing down the slope, they continued to dictate through good forward pressure which continued throughout the game but handling errors and infringements stopped any meaningful flow in the first half.

Frome took advantage of the penalties to kick position close to the Puddletown try line, and good interplay around the fringe of the breakdown enabled them to draw level which instilled a confidence in their play.

However Puddletown gained good position and a break from number eight Paul Childley saw his try take the lead with a further unconverted try.

The second half saw less continuity from either side but through no lack of effort, however with no

further score Puddletown came away with a well-earned win.  
Dorset Piddle Brewery man of the match Dave Phillips

## 2nds continue winning feeling

### Dorchester 2nd 31 New Milton 2nd 5

WITH a good performance and result last week, Dorchester were full of confidence for their first home game of the season.

A couple of forced changes were made but such is the buzz and feel good factor around the club at the moment that they were still able to field a strong side with plenty of replacements.

As can usually happen with away teams, New Milton started strong and controlled possession and territory for the first 10 minutes.

However, Dorchester defended well and soaked this up, before cutting loose.

Once again the scrum was very strong and the line-out functioned well.

After working their way up-field attacking the wide channels with seemingly every player involved, some good hands for the backs allowed centre Toby Devine to pick a line through a gap and score beside the posts, Dan Cree converting.

The home side continued in the same fashion, this time a hole was unlocked for the other centre, Rich Deakin, to saunter over; again Cree converted.

With Dorchester now spreading the opposition the width of the field, some great offloading allowed Cree to score the third try.

Dorchester continued creating chances but hands at times let them down. Then, with the half approaching an end, the bonus point was secured.

A lovely backs move got the ball into the hands of

left winger Jake Murdoch who beat the first defender and then held off the challenge of another to score in the corner.

The second half continued in the same fashion and it wasn't long before Dorchester scored a fifth try.

Another probe out wide saw the ball reach Toby Waddington on the right wing and he beat a couple of tackles to score; Cree adding the extras.

Dorchester continued to press hard, but a combination of the heat and New Milton's continued resistance saw no addition to their total.

But as the game entered the final quarter the away side created some chances but couldn't find a way through the well organised defence.

That was until the final play of the game when a ball was spilled in midfield and the New Milton 12 hacked clear to pick up and touchdown for unconverted late try.

## Dorset Football League

# Draws for Islanders and Terras' Reserves

### Premier round-up

DESPITE their second defeat of the season Hamworthy Recreation stay in pole position but now only on goal difference following their 2-1 defeat against visitors Merley Cobham Sports, if was a busy day for the referee who sent off Stuart Canie and booked four others.

Second place Portland United also dropped points when they could only take a point at Parley Sports after a 1-1 draw with their goal coming from Joe Toghill after 11 minutes while the hosts levelled in the 75th minute.

Seventh place Tintinhull and fifth place Weymouth Reserves played out a goal less draw.

Playing their first home League game of the season Sherborne Town Reserves beat their visitors Bridport Reserves 2-0 with two second-half goals from Joe Smith.

### RESULTS

#### PREMIER LEAGUE

Friday, September 20th

Hamworthy United Res 3-1 Holt United

### Saturday, September 21st

Cranborne 3-1 Shaftesbury Town, Hamworthy Recreation 1-2 Merley Cobham Sports, Mere Town, 7-3 Swanage Town & Herston, Parley Sports 1-1 Portland United, Sherborne Town Reserves 2-0 Bridport Reserves, Tintinhull 0-0 Weymouth Reserves, Wareham Rangers 5-2 Poole Borough.

#### SENIOR LEAGUE

Blandford Utd Res 1 Westland Sports 1, Chickerell Utd 1 Sturm Newton Utd 0, Gillingham Res 1 Witchampton Utd 1, Kingston Lacy 1 Piddlehinton 0, Portland Utd Res 1 Sturm Marshall 5, South Cheriton 2 Okeford Urd 1

#### DIVISION ONE

Bridport A 4 Stourpaine 3, Dorchester Sports 2 Milborne Sports 1, Kangaroos 5 AFC Cobham 2, Poole Borough Res 4 Balti House 3, Poundbury Rovers 1 Wincanton Res 1, Weymouth Spartans 4 Bere Regis 3.

#### DIVISION TWO

Corfe Castle 2 Parley Res 2, Gillingham A 4 Wareham Res 1, Portesham Utd 4 Chickerell Utd Res 2, Portland Town 8 Ship Inn, Wool 2, Shaftesbury Town Res 3 Redlands FC 3, Sturm Newton Utd Res 0 Piddlehinton Utd 1, Wyke Regis SC 1 Lytchett RT 5.

#### DIVISION THREE

Broadstone 9 Portland Town Res 1, Handley Sports 2 Mere Town Res 2, Stickland Utd 4 Stalbridge 1, Sturm Marshall Res 2 Maiden Newton & Catt 2.

#### DIVISION FOUR

AFC Cobham Res 3 Kangaroos Res 2, Corfe Mullen Utd Res 0 Weymouth Spartans Res 0, Milborne Sports Res 3 UFC Poundbury 2, Owermoigne 5 South Cheriton Res 2, Portland Town A 5 Cranborne Res 2, Puddletown 2 Pimperne SS 1.

#### FIXTURES

Friday, September 28th:

#### PREMIER LEAGUE

Blandfor Utd v Weymouth Res, Bridport Res v Tintinhull, Holt Utd v Sherborne

Town Res, Merley Cobham Sports v Swanage & Herston, Parley Sports v Hamworthy Rec, Poole Borough v Shaftesbury Town, Portland Utd v Hamworthy Utd Res, Wareham Rangers v Cranborne.

#### SENIOR LEAGUE

Corfe Mullen Utd v Blandford Utd Res, Piddletrenthide Utd v Okeford Utd, South Cheriton v Portland Utd Res, Sturm Marshall v Gillingham Res, Sturm Newton Utd v Kingston Lacy, Westland Sports v Upwey & Broadwey, Witchampton Utd v Chickerell Utd.

#### DIVISION ONE

Bridport A v AFC Cobham, Milborne Sports v Poole Boro Res, Poundbury Rovers v Kangaroos, Stourpaine v Wincanton Res, Swanage & H Res v Bere Regis, Balti House v Weymouth Spartans.

#### DIVISION TWO

Chickerell Utd Res v Wareham Rangers Res, Lytchett RT v Portland Town, Piddlehinton Utd v Gillingham A, Redlands FC v

Sturm Newton Utd Res, Shaftesbury Res v Corfe Castle, Ship Inn, Wool v Parley Sports Res, Wyke Regis SC v Portesham Utd.

#### DIVISION THREE

Donhead Utd v Bere Regis Res, Handley Sports v Sturm Marshall res, Henstridge Utd v Broadstone, Maiden Newton & Catt v Stalbridge, Portland Town Res v Stickland Utd.

#### DIVISION FOUR

AFC Cobham Res v Corfe Mullen Utd Res, Kangaroos Res v Portland Town A, Owermoigne v Milborne Sports Res, Pimperne SS v Cranborne Res, UFC Poundbury v Puddletown, Weymouth Spartans Res v South Cheriton Res.

#### DIVISION FIVE

Broadstone Res v Portland Utd Youth, Lytchett RT Youth v Marnhull, Okeford Utd Res v Piddletrenthide Utd Res, Portland Town B v Handley Sports Res, Wool & Winfrith v Maiden Newton & Catt Res.

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## Motor Racing - Woolbridge Motor Club

## Speedy Lee smashes his own Manor Hill record

MIKE Lee set the Manor Farm hill record at the inaugural meeting two years ago, and returned to the Charmouth course this weekend for the two **View From** sponsored events to claim two wins and set a new course record in his OMS 2000M racing car.

Lee was in a class of his own in the Woolbridge Motor Club events, the Suzuki powered OMS providing the perfect balance of speed and agility for previous British Leaders Champion to showcase his skills, taking the prestigious Fastest Time of the Day award in both events.

In the Saturday meeting it was 2012 victor Dave Sims who mounted the fastest challenge recording a 27.09 in his two-litre Ralt RT33/34.

The following day it was another Ralt, this time the older RT3 version of John Burton that ran the overall victor closest. Burton, like Sims, was contest-

ing the 1600-2000cc Racing car class and again like Sims took class honours with a best climb of 26.62 seconds.

It was only during the Sunday meeting that Lee found the pace to break the outright hill record and set a new benchmark of 25.13, eclipsing his previous record by half a second.

The on-track action was intense throughout the two meetings with new class records being set on twenty five occasions.

Charminster driver Rod Thorne was amongst those re-writing the record book.

Having taken the season off, the garage proprietor made the View From events his first drive of the year with the mighty five-litre V8 Rover powered Pilbeam MP43 sports racer.

It did not take long for him to return to form with a new over 1800cc Sports Libre record on his first official climb

on Saturday with a time of 27.62 seconds.

An off-course excursion on his second run prevented any further improvement but his class win was secure as Andrew Forsyth, who was guest driver for the weekend, became accustomed to his steed.

The following day saw Forsyth picking up the pace when he took an early lead, in addition to a record, with a 27.30 second ascent.

The car's owner was not to be denied however and retaliated with a time of 26.90 seconds to take the win and another new record.

Honiton motor technician Robert Thomson contested the Road-Going Series production (1400-1800cc) category with his Vauxhall Nova and like Thorne soon became embroiled in a battle which netted a new class record.

The hard charging Jonathan Wright (Volkswagen Golf GTi) kept Thompson honest all weekend, obliging the General Motors pilot to set a new record of 30.57 seconds during the Saturday event; bettering Wright's existing mark by seven hundredths of a second.

On Sunday Thompson lowered his own record on both runs to leave it at 29.90 seconds and clinch victory.

Lyme Regis driver Craig Moore was once again dominant in the rally car class repelling the challenge of Vauxhall Corsa driver Forrest Eyles on both days and regaining his class record with a 29.08 second final climb.

Although unable to regain his class record Modified Specialist Production Car driver Geoff Blake took a brace of class wins in the two-litre Vauxhall powered Westfield SEi he campaigns with his father Graham.



■ **WINNERS:** Back row, from left: Rod Thorne, Geoff Blake, Mike Lee, Stuart Broom (View from newspapers). Front: Rob Thomson, Craig Moore

## SCRUM-DOWN - RUGBY ROUND-UP

## Revenge for battling Blues

## Bridport 21 East Dorset 13

BRIDPORT gained revenge for defeat by East Dorset two weeks earlier in the county cup to continue their good start to their Wilts & Dorset South 1 campaign.

The visitors are newcomers to this league having been promoted from last season and came full of confidence having already beaten the Blues, whilst Bridport were looking to consolidate by following up victory at Blandford last week.

A quick unconverted try by each side set the pace for a lively first half; Nathan Herbert crossing the line for Bridport and Tom Clark for East Dorset.

An evenly matched first half ended badly for the Blues as East Dorset second row Tim Linford charged over in the corner for an unconverted advantage. Then with moments to go to the interval Bridport were offside in front of their own posts, and Mark Chiverton slotted the penalty to give the visitors a 5-13 lead at half time.

Bridport had a stuttering start to the second half with mishandling at crucial opportunities, but Rory Greening settled the side with a penalty for offside against the visitors. There were several more missed penalties from both sides,

before the game picked up the tempo again and Bridport camped in the visitors half. Greening kicked another penalty after East Dorset held the ball on the ground to leave the Blues only two points behind with ten minutes to go.

Then East Dorset made a rare incursion to the Bridport half but muffed a pass between the centres whilst in attack. Dave Cutting got to the lost ball first and kicked ahead, whereupon Herbert chased the ball to the line and was able to flick it up to Greening to score between the posts. Greening converted his own try to give Bridport the lead and despite a fierce final few minutes from the visitors, the Blues ran out winners 21-13.

In a game well controlled by experienced Weymouth referee Tim Wynn who gave his usual well-balanced performance, Cutting in his first game as skipper announced himself to be very pleased with the team's display. Adeyo led the pack with plenty of verbals while Mike Pibworth soared in the lineout. Tim Edwards played with his usual vigorous enthusiasm and it was good to see his brother "Tackling Jack" back in Bridport colours after his world travels.

Ricky Stubbs won the Man-of-the-Match wine award kindly sponsored by Palmers brewery.

◆ This Saturday the first team travel to Westbury, while the seconds entertain Swanage & Wareham (ko 3pm).

## New shirts, new captain

BRIDPORT made a winning start in their new shirts sponsored by local printers Creeds.

Managing Director Harry Harrison made the presentation before Saturday's victory over East Dorset.

Besides Creeds name printed across the chest of the shirt, they also carry logos of runners-up Mole Valley Farmers and Howden Joinery on their sleeves.

The photo below shows Harry Harrison making the presentation to the club's new 1st XV captain Dave Cutting who has taken over the mantle from Rob Sullivan who has stepped down due to career retraining obligations.

Cutting (28) has played for the club for eleven years primarily as a full back, but is currently the club's scrum half.

Arthur Barclay has also stepped down as first team manager due to a work contract taking him away from Bridport; Grant Connolly moving up from second team manager to take his place; Jason Blackmore will manage the seconds as well as being fixture secretary.



■ **THANKS FOR THE SUPPORT:** Bridport 1st XV pictured with sponsor Harry Harrison from Creeds

## Two competition decided by countback

## Lyme Regis Golf

with Richard Jackman

THE **President's Prize** competition was competed for last week and, for the men, the best stableford score was 68 by Tim Daniel who beat Matt Watson and Adam Neale

into 2nd and 3rd place on countback respectively. The best gross was won by Stuart Wight with 72.

The seniors competed for the **Veterans Trophy** medal.

In tricky conditions Brian Carnell (68) and Peter Cogan (70) both broke par

to finish 1st and 2nd with Charlie Lane (71) hot on their heels in 3rd.

On Thursday the ladies played a **three-ball bow-maker** for President's Day and it was tight at the top as Jenny Scott, Corinne Jones and Ursula Pratt came 1st with 74 points,

shading Rosie Jackman, Roni Turner and Rosemary Blunt into second place on count-back while on 72 Rhoda Elwick, Susan Moore and Glenys Phillips finished 3rd.

Thank you to Club President Anne Humphreys, for her support.

## Bowls season drawing to a close

WITH just one week left of the season, the club played two friendlies and the usual Men v Ladies end of season fixture writes Paul Moffitt.

Some of the ladies looked unfamiliar, especially those sporting beards! This game was finished off in the clubhouse where, a sumptuous spread had been laid on by catering supremo, Sue Wood,

and her merry band of helpers.

## Lyme 92 Dorset Patrons 127

S Wood, J Perry/B Stephens, J Parsons, R Edwards 19-15; J Barnish, G Cozens, D Wood, Chas Barber 13-24; A Nabarro, M Bartlett, P Stephens, R Cridge 13-14; B Downes, P Knight, R Legg, B Parsons 8-30; M Knight, C Bell, R Winterborne, N

Stephens 12-29; M Heneghan, N Solomon, J Beadsley, Chris Barber 27-15.

## Lyme Men 76 Seaton 75

C Clissold, K Gardiner, T Payne, D Meylan 20-20; P Ward, J Hare, R Hobbs, R Edwards 15-25; D Read, A Foster, J Beadsley, C Barber 16-15; K Faragher, G Cozens, R Turpin, D Wood 25-15.

## Tiana's Gar wins the day

TIANA Foot put West Bay Sea Angling Club on the map when she scooped the **Wynvern Division Junior Open Shore Festival** at Plymouth recently.

Her gar weighing 1lb 1 1/4 oz saw her declared overall winner of the festival, which although only half the weight of Tiana's, helped towards the two-person team event.

The event was fished on the Mountbatten Breakwater at Plymouth instead of its normal location of Teignmouth with 12 West Bay members taking part, the club having competed in all but one since 1996.

The competition was fished between noon and 4pm and saw an entry of 48 juniors representing nine clubs.

After a slow start some sizeable wrasse were weighed in but eventually the garfish started to show; this species generally proves to be one of the better to target as they return a favourable specimen rating and Danny Cowburn was the first West Bay junior to land one.

Sometime later Tiana brought in her gar which put her in a very strong position

although over an hour of the competition still remained.

As the competition drew to a close, Elliott managed to land a final garfish, literally in the last minute of the festival, which although only half the weight of Tiana's, helped towards the two-person team event.

It also helped him win runner-up in the over 12 age group.

The afternoon also saw a number of club records for outside local waters broken, with junior members Lucas Voss (aged 4 and who caught his first ever fish), Aaron Chambers and Serena Ousley together with senior members PJ Wheeler and Craig Horton also joining in the race for records.

Species included goldsinney and corkwing wrasse, tompot blenny, shanny, rockling and pollack.

Due to the increase in junior participation this year, the section had out-grown the usual self-drive mini bus.

However, Adam Keen of the More Bus Company, Poole stepped in and offered

to help out.

West Bay SAC junior section would like to thank Adam very much for making this such an enjoyable trip for all those who attended, as well as the organisers and sponsors of the festival and all the family and friends that came along to support the event.



■ **TOP OF THE TREE:** Overall winner Tiana Foot with team partner and best over 12 runner-up, Elliot Joy (right) and Wynvern Division (Angling Trust) chairman Alex Parker.

## Encouraging, but slow starts cost Bridport

LAST Sunday saw the second and final game of this summer's water polo sea matches with Bridport pitched against Bournemouth.

Bridport started slowly conceding a goal in the first minute, although this was quickly cancelled by Libor Hradil who sneaked the ball between the goalie and the near post. The hosts then took the lead with a brilliant goal by Tim Banbury.

The second quarter saw a more attacking from Bournemouth who again scored early after the restart before capitalising on a man up attack after Will Bowen Ashwin was sent out for an aggressive tackle to take a 3-2 lead at half-time.

Bournemouth once again started the third quarter aggressively scoring two quick goals.

The visitors continued to press with a flurry of shots which were all denied by the impeccable saves from Adam Hoskins, who came into his own in the second-half of the match and kept Bridport's chances of a comeback alive.

These odds were improved by Clair Scarborough who surprised everyone with a rocket shot from a tight angle to reduce the deficit.

Unfortunately Bournemouth managed to get a goal late in the quarter to give them a three goal lead.

Unlike the previous quarters Bridport started with intent and Ollie Bowen Ashwin acted quickly after being fouled and

tomahawked the ball from eight meters, bouncing it into the roof of the net.

Bridport kept the pressure up but in doing so left themselves exposed and the visitors scored twice more.

◆ Water polo training has now started at the Bridport Leisure Centre on Monday evenings at 6pm for ages eight upwards. For more information contact Fred Fowler on 07917105919.



■ **GREAT SAVE:** Match action from Bridport's 8-4 defeat against Bournemouth



## Football - the early season news

# Positive Bees continue the good form

**BRIDPORT 2 ILFRACOMBE TOWN 1**  
THIS result did not reflect Bridport's dominance over their North Devon rivals at St Mary's Field as the Bees recorded back-to-back home victories.

Despite creating a number of goalscoring chances, particularly in the first half, Bridport almost got caught on the rebound when the Bluebirds cancelled out Dan Wise's first half penalty with an equaliser with 17 minutes left.

However, Chris Luke, who has made a huge impact since returning to the side, scored a deserved winner two minutes later.

Bridport welcomed back Ryan Dovell after several weeks on the sidelines with injury and he partnered Tom Richardson up as manager Trevor Senior continued with a 4-4-2 formation that has proved successful recently.

Bridport dominated from the start but failed to find the net with Luke miscuing in front of goal and Richardson striking the bar before 'keeper Kurtis Parkin got down well low to his right to keep out Dovell's strike.

It required a needless foul on 33 minutes for the Bees to go ahead.

Chris Clarke chased what looked a hopeless case when a right wing cross eluded everybody. He cut back along the byline and beat a defender before crossing low to the near post where Dovell was needlessly taken out from behind by Josh Heafield. Wise converted the spot-kick despite Parkin guessing the right way.

Bridport did require Sam Filkins to be alert when Shane Evan's miscued a through ball, but he was quickly out to block the effort which was subsequently

cleared, but Ilfracombe's best chance came just before the break when Frank Paxton headed into the side netting.

Bridport's dominance continued in the second-half and Evans was unlucky with a clever, looping header from 12 yards following a corner that was cleared off the line before Dovell just failed to connect completely from eight yards as he slid in.

But Ilfracombe sprung a surprise in a rare attack when Stan Paxton got in behind the Bees defence to convert a cross at the near post.

Their joy didn't last long however as two minutes later Luke scored a super goal.

He jinked his way diagonally across the field beating defenders on the way, before ducking back inside and firing a crisp left foot shot back across Paxton from the edge of the box.

The Bees continued to take the game to their visitors and had a chance to increase their lead in the final minute when Kevin Darch was adjudged to have handled as he chased a through ball back to his goal.

He was however given a nudge in the back by the chasing Max Buckler which was missed by the referee which saw him fall and handle the ball just inside the penalty area.

Parkin guessed right again from Wise's spot-kick and this time pulled off a great save low down to his right.

### Bees fall to last minute winner BRISLINGTON 2 BRIDPORT 1

*Toolstation Premier - att: 42 (Sept 17th)*  
BRIDPORT were beaten by a last minute goal at a blustery Brislington Stadium last Tuesday after having taken a first half lead through Tom Richardson.

Both sides struggled early on with the conditions early on, a gusty wind and slippery pitch making it difficult to keep possession, but it was the Bees who had started the brighter of the two who went ahead when Matt Morley found Richardson who cut inside and drove a shot beyond Brislington's keeper Chris Humphries into the bottom corner.

The rest of the first half passed harmlessly for Bridport with the hosts' best effort being a shot from Alex Lambert which went wide of the upright.

Brislington started the second-half better but failed to worry the Bees defence unduly until the 70th minute when Frank Gingell slid home a low cross.

This gave the home side a lift and they began to put Bridport under pressure with Lambert causing them a number of problems.

Sam Filkins foiled him after he had beaten two defenders and fired in a low shot which he parried before collecting at the second attempt.

However the pressure finally told in the final minute when Gingell rose at the far post to nod home the winner.

### Stuttering Bees miss an opportunity

**SHERBORNE TOWN RES 2 BRIDPORT RES 0**  
ONCE again Bridport's failure to take their chances led to their downfall.

Although not playing at their best they had enough opportunities to have won this game and, after a bright start to the season that saw them in fourth spot, they now find themselves in the bottom half of the Dorset Premier League.

As in a number of games this and last season the Bees appear to lose their way if they don't score early on and manager Robin Townsend is at a loss to know the reason why.

"It appears that if we don't score early on we find it hard to settle. Last week we played brilliantly after scoring early and although again we missed a lot of chances, we played so well.

"We weren't as good this week but after a bright start fell away and couldn't string three passes together; I think it's a matter of confidence."

Bridport picked up their game midway through the half but were then caught out by a set piece five minutes before the break that saw Joe Smith put Sherborne ahead.

Townsend rallied his troops at the break and they were the better side in the second-half but still couldn't find a goal.

Sherborne did however against the run of play when they got round the back of the Bees defence and Smith scored a second with a header from the resultant cross.

Townsend added: "We never really got back into the game after that which is disappointing."

Townsend and his assistant Mark Lock put an awful lot of time into managing the side, something he hopes he can instil into some of his players. "I hope some of the players will think about their part in this game and the amount of effort they contributed."

### 3rds grab last minute winner BRIDPORT 3RDS 4 STOURPAINE 3

BRIDPORT 3rds made hard work of beating a good footballing Stourpaine side that included one or two players carrying an extra pound or two, and only sealed the win in the last minute.

The Bees looked out of sorts for the first 30 minutes in which time the Steamers had taken the lead with a soft goal; a 30-yard shot that trickled into the bottom corner of the net.

Adam Sturdy restored parity soon after when the visiting 'keeper roll the ball momentarily when it bobbed and Sturdy was on hand to roll it into the net.

Stourpaine took the lead almost immediately when the home defence lost concentration and 'keeper Arthur Gay was beaten at his near post by a good strike.

However, Bridport struck back to equalise once again, this time through Luke Hayter's persistence.

The full back charged 60 yards downfield, played a one-two with Chris Symes, before dummieing the 'keeper to roll the ball home.

Bridport were now in full flow and their second-half endeavour saw the visitors tire.

They went ahead for the first time when Ryan Gall headed Ash Walkey's long throw in at the near post, and created enough chances to have ensured victory.

However they failed to take them and Stourpaine equalised from a well taken angled free-kick.

It looked like the Bees had dropped two easy points until the last minute when Jamie McClements rode two tackles before clipping the advancing 'keeper to earn the victory.

## Current tables

Toolstation Prem	Pld	GD	Pts
Bristol Manor Farm.....	6	16	16
Gillingham Town.....	8	11	16
Cadbury Heath.....	5	5	16
Larkhall Athletic.....	5	12	15
Buckland Athletic.....	8	8	15
Street.....	5	8	15
Sherborne Town.....	5	5	10
Hallen.....	5	4	10
Bitton.....	7	-6	10
Willand Rovers.....	6	2	9
Brislington.....	7	0	9
Odd Down.....	7	-1	9
Longwell Green.....	6	-6	7
<b>BRIDPORT</b> .....	<b>6</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>6</b>
Hengrove Athletic.....	8	-6	6
Slimbridge.....	7	-10	6
Radstock Town.....	7	-5	5
Ilfracombe Town.....	5	-7	4
Winterbourne Utd.....	4	1	3
Bishop Sutton.....	6	-18	3
Melksham Town.....	6	-13	1

Dorset Premier	Pld	GD	Pts
Hamworthy Rec.....	9	15	20
<b>PORTLAND UNITED</b> .....	<b>8</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>19</b>
Merley Cobham.....	9	10	17
<b>WEYMOUTH RES</b> .....	<b>8</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>15</b>
Mere Town.....	9	4	15
Shaftesbury Town.....	8	4	13
Poole Borough.....	9	3	13
Tintinhull.....	8	-3	13
<b>BRIDPORT RES</b> .....	<b>8</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>12</b>
Hamworthy Utd Res.....	9	-1	12
Blandford United.....	9	-5	10
Holt United.....	9	-16	8
Sherborne Town Res.....	8	-3	6
Parley Sports.....	9	-6	6
Swanage & Herston.....	8	-6	6
Cranborne.....	8	-13	5
Wareham Rangers.....	8	-8	4

## BRIDPORT SKITTLES

LADIES Division - Please note that The Shitzues have withdrawn from the league making No. 2 a 'no fixture'.

# Buckler's Buccaneers are Bob's new sponsors

A GROUP of local businesses will sponsor Bob Buckler's his final year at Henley.

The local national hunt trainer who announced he is moving to the Quantocks at the end of the season will be sponsored by a group named Buckler's Buccaneers.

The sponsors visited the yard last Thursday to view this season's horses and to check out the newly signed horsebox displaying their individual logos and rugs.

The sponsors are: Riverside Restaurant, West Bay, Bridport; Creative Solutions Print & Signage, Lyme Regis; Martin and Company Accountants, Bridport; Abbey House Bed & Breakfast, Abbotsbury; Kitson & Trotman Solicitors, Beaminstor; Samways Fish Merchant, Bridport; Mystic Signs Signwriters, Bridport; Kevin Davies Wealth Management, Burton Bradstock; MAC Building Contractors, Bridport and GJG Commercial Ltd.

THIS is his assessment of the horses in his yard for the coming season:

**BALLYEGAN** (IRE) 2005 Bay Gelding Saddlers Hall - Knaping Princess Ballyegan Partnership

It was a disastrous year for him having shown a lot of promise in the previous season.

Being very susceptible to these things, it would appear he suffered more than most with the virus which led to some odd mistakes in four of his five races in the New Year.

However age should have matured him and is now back in full training waiting for the softer ground on which he thrives and I expect him to

show his true form again when he returns to three mile chasing.

**COIN RIVER** (IRE) 2006 Bay Gelding Beneficial - Holly Lake Mrs J Gregson

Won well in his maiden point-to-point at Littlewindsor, and had a quiet run at Towcester before being turned away.

Will have strengthened up in the summer and is expected to go both hurdling and chasing this season.

**DIFFERENT TRADES** (IRE) 2004 Bay Gelding Oscar - Gale Tan Mr R.H. Buckler

Unfortunately shook a leg in his last point-to-point race in March 2011 and was turned away.

Recovering well and has been given longer to recover.

As one who likes good/good to soft ground he should be back around December.

**DIGGERS MATE** (IRE) 2008 Bay Gelding General Gamble - Miss Diskin Mr M Forrester

This huge five year old out of Miss Diskin and half brother to the stable's Mizzurka and Double Dizzy is still growing, and is simply the biggest horse I have ever trained.

Had two bumper races before Christmas but banged his knee.

Will continue with his education over hurdles this year, but needs to be given time as he is still growing.

**GLENWOOD PRESENT** (IRE) 2007 Chestnut Gelding Presenting - Chancy Lass Mr N Elliott

Was very disappointing on the track this year, although has potential having finished third be-

hind Champion Hurdle favourite Tetlami last year in a bumper.

He might just need more time and so he will go point-to-pointing over the winter and might come back if he shows signs of improvement.

**HOOBALLY DIVA** (IRE) 2011 Filly Scorpion - xxxxxxxx Mrs S Hiscock

Two-year-old filly by Scorpion who has been broken.

Won't run this season but will be given six weeks of educational before being turned away ready for next season.

**MISTER MATT** (IRE) 2003 Bay Gelding Alflora - Swing Quartet Strictly Come Racing

His handicap was increased considerably following his successes last summer, but despite this he did well, winning, and running some impressive races.

His last was the Racing Post Handicap Chase in Killarney in July.

Whether he picked up something on the boat or just before leaving home we found muck in his nose on the day of the race.

We decided to run him as we had come so far, and he gave a good display before tiring.

He's now having a short break and will soon be back whilst the ground is good to soft as he struggles on heavy ground, and will move up to 2½ miles.

**NEVER SAY NEVER** 2008 Bay Gelding Tamure - Quick Exit Mr Richard Hall

A good prospect, and has shown a lot of promise in his six races to date. He had a bit of a wind problem but that has sorted out.

He's very unlucky not to have

won yet. He ran a very good second to Tistory at Towcester and has had two seconds and third and finished fifth in his other race.

He will step up from 2m to 2½ m novice hurdles this season to get a handicap mark.

Another five-year-old that is still growing and needs to mature, we are not rushing him and a win is not far away.

**REDLYNCH ROCK** (IRE) 2008 Bay Gelding Brian Boru - College Ground

Mr R H Buckler

Won his maiden point-to-point over 2½ miles after joining in the summer, and had had two novice chases, finishing fourth in the second at Newton Abbot.

Expected to run one more race to get a handicap soon, before moving up to 2¾ miles handicap chasing.

**SAINT PERAY** (FR) 2006 Bay Gelding Fragrant Mix - Gintonique

Strictly Come Racing

Has been sidelined since a leg injury he received at Wincanton in February last year, but time is a great healer and he should be back chasing this season.

**SOMERSET LIAS** (IRE) Bay Gelding Golan - Presenting Gale Mr P Hart

This horse was the classic example of what a virus can do.

It often takes a while for it to manifest itself, and so after a promising bumper debut at Ludlow in January we were expecting him to do well.

It was only after his next two races in February and April which were disappointing with mid-division finishes, that the virus became apparent.



■ BUCKLER'S BUCCANEERS: Some of the local businesses sponsoring Bob Buckler this season (l-r): Richard King, Bob Buckler, Sally MacDonald, Neil Chilcott, Tim MacDonald, Sue Turner, Rodney Varnell, Natasha Cooke, Jonathan Cooke

Will switch to novice hurdling this season where he should be a winner.

**THE HAPPY WARRIOR** (GB) 2008 Bay Gelding Luso - Martomick Mr N Elliot

A beautiful looking and moving horse with a superb temperament, he should make up to be one of the most exciting chasers I've ever had, all going well, but he won't be rushed.

Although he is still very weak and not progressed as structurally as I had hoped, he is still doing well and will go handicap hurdling this year.

**TINKER TIME** (IRE) 2008 Bay Gelding Turtle Island - Gypsys's

Girl Golden Cap

Won a point-to-point in Cornwall before joining the stable in February, and was unwittingly the source of the virus that crippled the yard for the rest of the season.

Showed good bumper form when finishing fourth in his first race at Exeter after holding second, but then was a close second in his next race at Ffos Las.

Will obviously stay further and will be aimed at fences over 2¾ miles.

**UGOLIN DE BEAUMONT** (FR) 2009 Bay Gelding Alberto Giacometti - Okarina de Beaumont Mr A Norman

Big, very promising four-year-

old who is incredibly balanced, but still quite weak.

Could be one of the most exciting horses in the stable; very similar to I Hear Thunder.

A wonderful chaser in the making, he will run in bumpers and hurdles before Christmas.

**UNAMED BY FLEETWOOD** (IRE) 2011 Bay Gelding Fleetwood - River Reine Mr R H Buckler

This two-year-old has the same sire as The Sawyer, and his mother is River Reine, another of the stables successes, so has a good start in life.

Very athletic, he could run in bumpers in the New Year/spring; I have high hopes for him.





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## INSIDE: Local sport round-up

### Abject defending hands Hemel three point haul

**Weymouth 0  
Hemel Hempstead Town 3**

Calor Premier - att: 676

ABJECT defending contributed to Weymouth's home defeat by Calor League Premier Division league leaders Hemel Hempstead Town.

Although the score would have been much larger if not but for the heroics of keeper Jason Matthews, he was not helped by some poor defending that gave the Tudors a comfortable 2-0 interval lead.

Hemel came to the Bob Lucas Stadium having won seven of their eight games to date, and never looked like losing this one as the Terras defence were cut open time after time.

This was apparent in the eighth minute when The Tudors took the lead from a short corner. When the ball was played back to David Hutton his cross

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was met by leading goal scorer Lewis Toomey totally unmarked six yards out, who had the easy task of side footing his volley past Matthews.

The former Magpies stopper continued to thwart the visitors with a series of fine stops. Stewart Yetton squandered Weymouth's best first-half opportunity before Hemel added a second just before the break.

Despite being marked by two Weymouth players, central defender Oliver Thorne beat them both to Kyle Connolly's free-kick to nod the ball across the goal and just inside the far post despite Dave Allen and Jamie Symes covering the area.

Weymouth came out with more pur-

pose after the break and Luke Winsper had a shot deflected whilst captain Scott Walker's shot just cleared the bar. Nathan Walker then headed wide from a corner.

However their efforts were short lived as the Tudors sealed any thoughts of a comeback on 54 minutes. Danny Talbot skipped past Symes down the left before cutting in along the bye line.

Matthews did well to block his fierce angled close range shot but he could only deflect in into the air where Toomey had the easy task at the far post of heading the ball over the line.

Yetton had another chance soon after to reduce the arrears but side footed over from six yards while Walker should have done better on 76 minutes than fire his shot high and wide from close in.

### Blake in a hurry!



■ **FLYING:** Geoff Blake powers his Westfield through Osmond Bend during last weekend's Manor Farm meeting (see page 62 inside)

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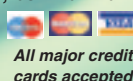
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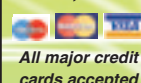
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